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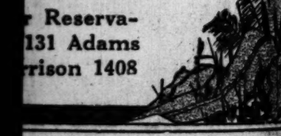

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BURROWS TO LEAD 'RESCUE CORPS' IN LORIMER DEFENSE

Gamble, Heyburn, and Others Plan Senate Oratory to Save Illinoisan.

BAILEY WILL BEAR BRUNT

Depew, Bulkeley, and Fletcher Held in Reserve to Support Colleagues.

READY FOR LAST DITCH BATTLE

BY JOHN CALLAN O'LAUGHLIN.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 12.—[Special.]—The friends of Senator Lorimer now feel prepared to inaugurate their plan of operations for the purpose of keeping him fastened down to the seat he occupies in the United States senate.

Besides the underground work in which they have been active and the developments which may be expected tomorrow in the senate, they have practically completed a battery of oratory which they will discharge in the senate beginning on Monday. On that day and for several days thereafter speeches will be made by the following men:

Senators Julius Cæsar Burrows of Michigan, chairman of the committee on privileges and elections; William P. Dillingham of Vermont, Robert J. Gamble of South Dakota, Weldon B. Heyburn of Idaho, Joseph W. Bailey of Texas, and Thomas H. Paynter of Kentucky.

Members of "Rescue Corps."

These six men belong to the "rescue corps of ten" which presented to the senate the majority report declaring Mr. Lorimer had not been elected by the use of corrupt methods or practices.

The remaining four members of this tried and true company apparently have no intention of making set speeches, although they will be ready to support their colleagues when the fire becomes too heavy for them to withstand. This gallant reserve will comprise:

Senators Chauncey M. Depew of New York, Morgan G. Bulkeley of Connecticut, Joseph F. Johnston of Alabama, and Duncan U. Fletcher of Florida.

Senator Burrows will lay the ground work upon which he and his comrades will stand. His speech will be devoted to showing that the testimony taken by the subcommittee justified the committee in returning the Scotch verdict of "not proven."

Will Dwell on White's Depravity.

Mr. Burrows will dwell with great earnestness upon the depravity of Charles A. White. He will speak feelingly about the application of the third degree to Michael Link and H. J. C. Beckemeyer. He will insist the story told by D. W. Holstlaw, in spite of the latter's resignation from the state senate, is "highly improbable."

As to Browne, Broderick and Wilson Mr. Burrows will say the committee could find no warrant "in the testimony" for believing that any one of the three was moved by any corrupt influences. Thus he will radically differ with Senator Beveridge, who said in his minority report:

"To my mind the testimony is conclusive that far more than enough bribery was practiced in this election to invalidate the same, even under the senate precedents upon which the majority relied."

Will Differ with Frazier and Owen.

Mr. Burrows will differ with Senator James B. Frazier of Tennessee, who said in his dissenting opinion:

"The testimony taken by the committee satisfies me four members of the legislature were paid money for voting for or in consequence of voting for Senator Lorimer. The testimony satisfies me the three alleged bribe givers were guilty of that offense."

Mr. Burrows will differ with Senator Robert L. Owen of Oklahoma, who said in the speech he delivered in the senate:

"In my opinion Mr. Lorimer was not the choice of the legislature of Illinois nor of the people of Illinois, and his election, so-called, is entirely vitiated by the corrupt practices of his supporters, was illegal and void—ab initio, and does not merit present recognition."

Differs with Crawford.

Mr. Burrows will differ with Senator Coe I. Crawford of South Dakota, who asked:

"What is to become of our institutions and who can answer for tomorrow if legislation in great states like Illinois is to be bought and sold by men who are provided with a corruption fund for that purpose—a United States senatorship thrown into the bargain? But that [the reelection of Browne, Broderick, and Wilson] does not affect the probative force of the testimony found in this record, which, it seems to me, is convincing and which proves to a reasonable certainty that the votes of Browne, White, Holstlaw, Clark, Link, Beckemeyer, Luke, Shephard, De Wolf, and Broderick cast for Lorimer were corrupt votes. And can any one conclude, after carefully reading all the evidence here, that Mr. Lorimer did not know that fraud was being committed?"

Heyburn Ready for Rescue Work.

Senators Dillingham and Gamble both propose to discuss the testimony in order to reinforce what Mr. Burrows has said, and Senator Heyburn will do likewise. Mr. Heyburn feels he is in a better position to handle the matter than is his colleagues, since he was canny enough to include in his individual statement accompanying the majority report the observation that "much testimony and much scandal has been brought to the attention of the committee in connection with Mr. Browne's methods of dealing with the Democrats who voted for Mr. Lorimer under his leadership."

Unfortunately for Mr. Heyburn he pro-

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SUMMARY OF THE NEWS.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 13, 1911.

WEATHER FORECAST.

Rain turning to snow flurries Friday and much colder by night; Saturday fair and cold; moderate variable winds shifting to brisk northwest. Sunrise, 7:17; sunset, 4:52; moonset, 6:21.

TEMPERATURE IN CHICAGO
[Last 24 hours.]

Maximum, 10 p. m.....36
Minimum, 6 a. m.....33

8 a. m.	34	1 a. m.	34
4 a. m.	34	12 noon	34
5 a. m.	34	1 p. m.	35
6 a. m.	33	2 p. m.	35
7 a. m.	33	3 p. m.	35
8 a. m.	34	4 p. m.	36
9 a. m.	34	5 p. m.	36
10 a. m.	34	6 p. m.	36
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Mean temperature, 34; normal for the day, 24. Excess since Jan. 1, 18.
Precipitation for 24 hours to 7 p. m., .01. Deficiency since Jan. 1, .19 inch.
Wind, N., max., 22 miles an hour at 7:10 p. m.
Relative humidity, 7 a. m., 94%; 7 p. m., 99%.
Barometer, sea level, 7 a. m. 30.30, 7 p. m. 30.20.

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Taft asks congress to make initial appropriation of $5,000,000 to start Panama canal fortification. Page 5.

Standard Oil attorney makes three hour argument before United States Supreme court. Page 12.

DOMESTIC.

William E. Chandler and other lawyers declare will of Mrs. Mary Baker Eddy is void. Page 1.

Miss Morosini, heiress of late New York banker, elopes with former policeman. Page 1.

Scores of passengers and trainmen are trapped in snow, with mercury below zero, in Montana Rockies. Page 2.

Further suspension of rate advances made voluntarily by carriers to give interstate commission time to consider problem. Page 11.

New York values increase, making city's credit better. Page 12.

LOCAL.

Thousands see spectacular fire that destroys one building of Northwestern Terra Cotta works. Page 1.

Group of bomb throwers uncovered in belief of police department. Page 1.

Short clash over investigation at county hospital. Page 2.

Burnell Gunther, son of candy man, is in Reno to begin divorce suit. Page 3.

Hazel Danner found; will testify against Sea. Page 3.

Railroad men honor Harahan on 70th birthday at farewell banquet. Page 4.

Trial board refuses to retire policemen Steward calls unfit. Page 4.

Witness Stacy tells of bribery of Juror McCutchen, then worsts Erbstein in battle of wits. Page 7.

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Labor leader before Civic federation attacks bonus system. Page 11.

Benefit to aid fire fund will be held at Auditorium today. Page 20.

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Graham, Harrison, and Dunne campaigns to cost "more than $500,000." Page 4.

Iowa senatorial race becomes livelier. Page 6.

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Laborites of Great Britain say veto bill preamble must go if they support government party. Page 5.

Troops fire upon Bombay religious rioters, killing eleven and wounding fourteen. Page 5.

Agreement by international commission settles fisheries dispute. Page 5.

Viceroy of India often attacked by parliamentarians at home. Page 5.

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Woman and Her Interests.
Music and Drama.

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President Chivington is reelected for a year at A. A. meeting; old constitution retained.

Seng's Springs roll into first place with 2,899 in team event of city pin meet.

Gotch says Hackenschmidt must beat good men before meeting him.

Chicago Motor club will make effort to land Glidden tour.

Accidents mar program at Oakland track.

MOVEMENTS OF OCEAN STEAMSHIPS.

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LUSITANIA	New York.
PANAMA MARU	Victoria.
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FIGHT EDDY WILL; HUGE GIFT VOID?

Lawyers Say $2,000,000 Bequest to "Mother" Christian Science Church Is Illegal.

LAWS OF 2 STATES A BAR?

W. E. Chandler and Hannis Taylor Quote New Hampshire and Massachusetts Statutes.

Concord, N. H., Jan. 12.—The gift of $2,000,000 to the "Mother" church of Christ, Scientist, devised in the will of Mrs. Mary G. Baker Eddy, may be null and void, and the estate may go to her sons.

The residuary clause in the will, leaving the $2,000,000 to the "Mother" church, is not legal, in the opinion of Ex-United States Senator William E. Chandler, Hannis Taylor, the professor of constitutional law at George Washington university, and others. Their opinion was given out for publication here tonight.

A statute of New Hampshire prohibiting a bequest to a church of over $5,000 annually is the basis of the opinion written by Prof. Taylor. Referring to the residuary clause as "null and void" the opinion says:

"As to the void gift the testatrix died intestate and its subject matter passed on her death to her next of kin, under the New Hampshire statute of distribution."

Probate Will; Then Fight It.

In the closing paragraph the opinion advises the attorneys for the next of kin that such agreements as they made with Mrs. Eddy and her trustees in her lifetime bind them only "to recognize as valid such provisions of her last will as are legally valid."

"To that extent," continues the opinion, "you are required to join with the executors in requesting the Probate court of New Hampshire to admit the will to probate, in order that all its provisions may prevail so far as they are not forbidden by law.

"After you have so performed every part of the agreement you have entered into, it will remain for the courts, federal or state, to construe the will in order to determine whether the residuary clause is valid or void."

Why Chandler Signed Agreement.

Mr. Chandler, in his letter to Prof. Taylor, reviews the facts regarding Mrs. Eddy's will and estate and the "next friend's" suit which resulted in Mrs. Eddy placing a large sum of money in trust for her son, George W. Glover of Lead, S. D., and his children. He then adds:

"Mr. Streeter [Gen. Frank S. Streeter of Concord] drew the agreement for my signature. When signing I took it for granted that Mrs. Eddy would not in giving away her property undertake to violate public law. If I had thought she had already done so, by attempting to create a church with an endowment of $2,000,000, I should not have signed."

Late today a petition was filed in court here by Mr. Chandler and other attorneys, asking for a construction of the will.

The petitioners also pray for an injunction against any disposition of the property pending the construction of the residuary clause. George W. Glover and Dr. E. J. Foster Eddy, sons of Mrs. Eddy, aim to have the question settled in the higher courts.

New Hampshire Law a Bar?

In the opinion by Prof. Taylor the New Hampshire statute is quoted as follows:

"The income of any grant or donation made for the use of the church shall not exceed $5,000 a year, exclusive of the income of any parsonage land granted to or for the use of the ministry."

Continuing, the opinion says, in part:

"It is difficult to understand how any one could have imagined, in the presence of the positive prohibition of such statutes, that a testatrix domiciled in New Hampshire and governed by its laws could give by will to a single church in Massachusetts, governed by its laws, a single bequest of nearly $2,000,000—a sum nearly twenty times as great as that permitted as a gift to any one church by the laws of New Hampshire. As that state was the domicile of the testatrix, its law determines in the first instance her capacity to give by will to a particular purpose.

Massachusetts Also Forbids?

"Moreover, if the bequest was not void for lack of power in the testatrix to make it, still it would be void by reason of the lack of power on the part of the legatee, a Massachusetts corporation, to take it. The Massachusetts statute is much more severe than that of New Hampshire. It expressly provides that 'the income of the gifts, grants, bequests, and devices made to or for the use of any one church shall not exceed $2,000 a year, exclusive of the income of any parsonage land granted to or for the use of the ministry.'

"If it be true that the testatrix has defied the law of New Hampshire by attempting to give to a single church the income on a vast sum of money to be used for all time by it as 'residuary legatee for the purpose of more effectually promoting and extending the religion of Christian Science as taught by me,' what is the legal consequences of such a violation of positive law?

Law Aimed at Such Gifts.

"There is no ambiguity; the gift is to a single church for a single purpose. That church is to maintain for all time a propaganda of a new and peculiar form of religious belief. There is no pretense that this endowment is for any charitable, or artistic, or educational purpose.

"It was just such perpetual endowment in the hands of a single church for the propagation of any form or religious belief that the statutes of New Hampshire and Massachusetts designed to make impossible.

"The legal result inevitably is that the residuary clause of the will is null and void.

"There will be no claim made that the heirs at law of the testatrix ever saw her will, or a copy of it, prior to her death, or was even informed as to its contents. If they had been so informed an heir at law cannot authorise his ancestor by any form of contract to make such a will as the law of the domicile forbids."

Sons Possessed by "M. A. M."

The letter by Mr. Chandler requesting the opinion from Mr. Taylor is dated at Washington, Dec. 24, 1910, and says in part:

"Prior to Mrs. Eddy's making of her will on Sept. 13, 1901, she had the delusion that her son George had become possessed by

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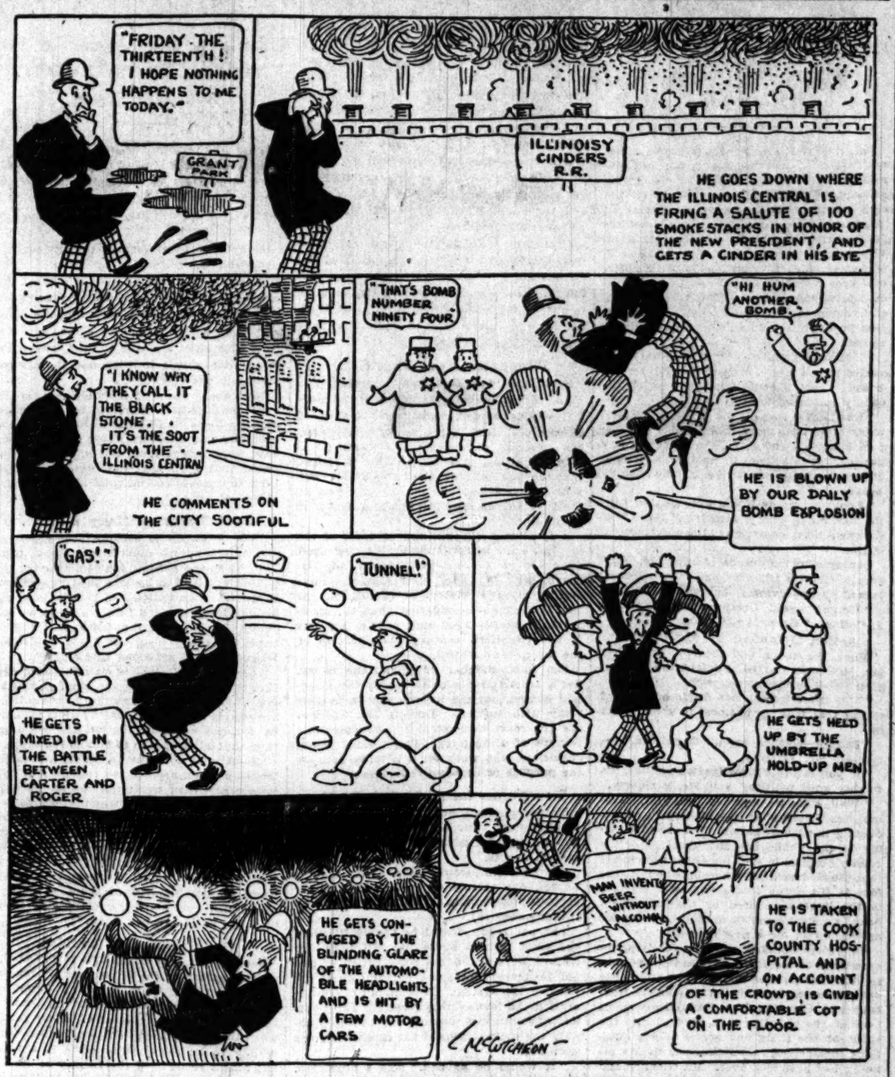
SOME OF THE THINGS THAT MAY HAPPEN TO YOU TODAY.



DANGERS ATTEND BURNING OF PLANT

Falling Walls Imperil Crowd at Northwestern Terra Cotta Works Fire.

LOW WATER A HANDICAP.

Tens of thousands of people jammed the streets, overwhelmed the police, and risked live wires, falling walls, and explosions last night to witness one of the largest fires in the history of the north side, the burning of most of the plant of the Northwestern Terra Cotta company.

Almost every engine and truck company between North Kedzie avenue and the lake was at the fire, which was the first big blaze fought by Chief Seyferlich since his elevation to the command of the department.

In spite of lack of water, absence of fire walls, and a series of explosions which scattered the flames through the dry old structure, a large part of the plant was saved. The loss was estimated by officials of the company at $150,000, all covered by insurance. No one was injured, and the most serious consequence will be the throwing out of work of about 350 men.

Plant Covers Twenty Acres.

The plant occupies some twenty acres in the vicinity of Wrightwood and Clybourn avenues, and is bisected by the Evanston line of the Northwestern railroad. The fire broke out in the "pressing room" in an old four story brick structure occupying an irregularly shaped block bounded by the railroad and Clybourn avenue on the west, Wrightwood avenue on the north, and Terra Cotta place on the east and south.

Herman Rohr, a night watchman, discovered the fire in the elevator shafts at 8:45, but turned in a "still" over the phone instead of pulling a box. When Battalion Chief Frank Conway and engine company 33 arrived five minutes later the elevator shafts and an explosion had converted the place into a furnace, and Conway at once sent in a 4-11 alarm.

Fifteen minutes later the south wall fell and the battalion chief and company 33 narrowly escaped destruction. A special call for ten more engines had hardly been sent in when Chief Seyferlich arrived, and after a glance at the situation ordered another ten engines.

Difficulty in Getting Water.

Difficulty in getting water was at once experienced, due to the small size of the mains in the vicinity, and engine companies 33, 55, 40, and 25 were forced to abandon their hose because of lack of water. A call was at once sent for fireboats and the Joseph Medill, Illinois, and Chicago responded. To reach the fire, however, the hose from them had to be extended two blocks, and as a result the pressure at the nozzles was small.

Engines were then sent to the Deering Harvester works at Fullerton and Clybourn avenues and from the mains there considerable water was obtained.

Great difficulty was experienced in handling the crowds. Traffic was suspended on the railroad and thousands watched the fire from the embankment. Other thousands swarmed down the many avenues of approach from the densely populated portions of the city adjoining the plant, and gave the police much trouble. Assistant Chief Schuettler was in personal charge, having rushed to the scene from a meeting of the finance committe of the city council.

Wall Falls; Luck Saves People.

When, at about 10 o'clock, the west wall of the plant fell into Clybourn avenue, knocking down the trolley wires, it was only by the greatest good luck that no one was injured. The police rushed the crowd back rapidly, and no one was touched by the writhing live wires.

Although it seemed impossible to save any of the plant when the firemen first arrived it was confined to one building, 300 by 75 feet in area, and no adjoining structures were injured.

This was done, too, without risking the lives of the firemen. In grim readiness for a repetition of the stock yards tragedy the ambulance from the Sheffield avenue station, with physicians and stretchers, waited near by, but Chief Seyferlich had noted the tottering walls and kept his men back so that as they fell, one after another, no one was hurt.

Official Praises Firemen.

Fritz Wagner, vice president and treasurer of the terra cotta company, was at a banquet of the Builders' club at the La Salle hotel when he heard of the fire. He jumped into an auto without waiting to get his overcoat from the check room, and hurried to the blaze. He at once busied himself seeing that the firemen were supplied with refreshments, including cigars, and praised their work highly.

"The work of the firemen has been wonderful," he said shortly before midnight, when the fire had been gotten under control. "They have done remarkably well, considering the lack of water."

He said the loss of $150,000 was practically all covered by insurance. The parts destroyed, he said, were the pressing, finishing, fitting, molding, and drafting departments. He said that the plant employs from 1,000 to 1,500 men, of whom about 350 will be thrown out of work. The company is capitalized at $900,000. He said that nothing explosive was stored in the building, and said that the explosions which had occurred must have been due to gas from broken mains. His son and assistant, C. Wagner, was also on the ground. Both insisted that the rumor that the fire had started from a cigaret butt thrown into the elevator shaft was unfounded.

Chief Tells of Troubles.

Chief Seyferlich called attention to the gravity of the water situation.

"We did not have anything like enough water," he said, "and we did not have one-fifth enough pressure. The delay caused by the failure of the watchman to turn in a direct alarm also handicapped us, as it gave the fire quite a start. The building, beside being old and dry, had no fire walls—a serious defect."

ORANGE JUICE INEBRIATE CURE; MAKES BAR ODOR 'DISGUSTING.'

Doctor Tells Vegetarian Society Cooked Food Is Source of 95 Per Cent of All Human Ills—Unfried Viands Ideal.

Knights of the flowing bowl, attention!

If you wish to stop dallying with the cup that cheers, eat oranges.

The advice was given by Dr. George J. Drews last night to the Chicago Vegetarian society in an address on "Cooked Food vs. Unfired Food." The lecture was given at the Ionia lunchroom, 185 Dearborn street.

"Orange juice is the best antidote for an alcoholic appetite," he said. "When any one feels a desire to drink anything intoxicating all he has to do is to buy a couple of oranges. After eating them the desire will soon pass away. The secret lies in the sugar of the orange. It immediately causes a wholesome disgust even for the odor of a barroom.

"About 95 per cent of all diseases are caused by eating cooked food. That is because food coming in contact with fire makes it unnatural. It gives it a sweet taste which causes an abnormal appetite. In consequence the system becomes overworked and the blood deteriorates."

MISS MOROSINI IS WED TO EX-COP

Heiress of New York Banker, Who Spends $100,000 a Year on Gowns, Elopes.

HERO ONCE SAVED LIFE.

New York, Jan. 12.—[Special.]—Miss Giulia P. Morosini, heiress of most of the $7,000,000 left by the late Giovanni P. Morosini and famous throughout the world as the young woman who for years has spent $100,000 a year on her clothes, eloped today and was married to Arthur Maurice Werner.

The bridegroom is an ex-policeman, formerly an "honor man" of the force, and one of the four original members of the traffic squad. For several years he has been manager of the Morosini estate, his elevation to this post having resulted from his heroic rescue of Miss Morosini about five years ago, when her team ran away with her on the speedway.

Father Showed His Gratitude.

Werner's manliness impressed the young woman's father, and he persuaded the young policeman that the future would be more rosy for him as a trusted agent of the Morosini family than as a uniformed hireling of Father Knickerbocker. Whether it was in the father's mind that Dan Cupid would assist in the management of the estate after his death does not appear, but it is certain that the young woman was interested in her rescuer from the start and that the elopement today was the fruition of a romance with all the orthodox thrills.

There was a double ceremony. A civil marriage was performed first by W. R. Sutphen of Somerville, and the religious service was read afterward by the Rev. Dr. Nathaniel Brooks of Bayonne, N. J. The only witnesses were Mrs. Joseph Benedicks, a sister of Mr. Werner, and Giovanni P. Morosini, brother of the bride.

Announcement Is Surprise.

The parlor of the Somerville hotel was the scene of the wedding. The wedding party arrived in Somerville by automobile a short time before the ceremony and immediately afterward returned to New York by motor.

Today was the birthday of both bride and bridegroom. As has been her custom for years Miss Morosini invited a few of her most intimate friends to dinner at her home, Elmhurst, Riverdale, this evening. While the house had been elaborately decorated with flowers and palms, no suspicion of the surprise intended for them entered the minds of any of the guests until the conclusion of the dinner, when Mr. Werner introduced their hostess as his wife.

BITE OF INSECT COSTS A LEG.

Lucius Tuttle, for Years President of Boston and Maine Railroad, Undergoes Amputation.

Boston, Mass., Jan. 12.—[Special.]—Lucius Tuttle, for years president of the Boston and Maine Railroad company, and holder of numerous other positions of trust, lost his left leg by amputation this afternoon.

At a late hour tonight Mr. Tuttle was reported by his physician, Dr. Samuel J. Mixter, who performed the operation, as resting comfortably.

The necessity for the operation was brought about the bad condition of Mr. Tuttle's blood. Two years ago he suffered from the bite of a strange insect. A recurrence of the trouble made the present operation necessary.

BLAME A BOYCOTT BY PLUMBER BODY FOR BOMB SERIES

Police Say Victims Offended a New Steamfitters' Cooperative Body.

HOLDUP SCHEME CHARGED

F. G. Werdell and Others Tell of Persecution Following Refusal to Pay Exorbitant "Fees."

SOUGHT TO CONTROL THE TRADE

One group of Chicago's bomb throwers was uncovered last night, in the belief of the police department. Trade boycotts, possibly allied with certain labor influences, were declared by the police investigators to lurk behind the activities of this bomb gang.

Arrests and raids are imminent.

In spite of the secrecy with which the detectives hedged the details, it became known that the clews were secured from the dynamiting of the plumber shop of Fred G. Werdell, 3053 Sheffield avenue, Wednesday night.

The theory upon which the department worked was that a determined effort on the part of a clique of plumbing contractors to build up a "coöperative association" to control the steamfitting industry in Chicago and to force every contractor to enter the combination was responsible for the bomb.

Other Recent Explosions.

The theory was developed by further investigation into similar explosions which have occurred within a fortnight in the establishments of two other "independent" contractors, William Lang, 7 Division street, and Rents Bros., 2628 North Clark street.

That the founders of the "coöperative organization" have used boycott methods to force contractors to join the association, by threatening the wholesale plumbing manufacturing houses with a withdrawal of patronage if they sell goods to non-members of the organization also was the assertion of the police.

When the contractor applies for membership in the organization he is asked to deposit $25 with his application. When he is notified that he has been accepted he deposits $75 more.

Comes Out of Patrons' Pockets.

But the thing which has precipitated the war between the association and the independents was declared to be a provision that each member of the association shall contribute 1 per cent of the total amount of his yearly contracts to the association. This 1 per cent he is supposed to add to the prices he makes on contracts, and therefore is to come out of the pockets of his patrons. It is to go, according to the police information, toward the "expenses" of the association, and if a residue remains at the end of the year, it is to be thrown into a "jackpot" and divided pro rata among the members.

The operations of the organization were explained by Mr. Werdell. He declared that he had declined to join the association after its "executive committee" had tried to "hold him up" and after the 1 per cent clause had been explained to him. He directly attributed the dynamiting of his store to his refusal to join the "combination."

Werdell Tells of Troubles.

"It was last June or July that I went to one of the big manufacturing concerns which sold me steam fitting supplies, boilers, radiators, and the like—and wanted to purchase some goods," he said. "The salesman took me in to see one of the officers of the association. He said that he wasn't sure that they could fill my order and that I had better take it somewhere else if I wanted prompt delivery. I knew something about the association and I asked him if that had anything to do with it. He admitted that the association had threatened him with a boycott of their trade if he sold to non-members, and advised me to 'get into the bandwagon.'

"One day I received notice to appear before the association's committee, but I could not appear on the day set on such short notice. I sent word to this effect, and a few days later got another 'short time' notice which I couldn't negotiate. Then I went down and arranged for a day on which I could appear. I met the committee and they explained that, inasmuch as I had disappointed them twice, my application fee was forfeited and I would have to pay another $25, in addition to the $75 initiation fee when I was accepted.

"I declined, and my store was wrecked with a bomb in a manner similar to the bomb throwings that happened to Lang and Rents, who also had trouble with the organization."

Another Bomb Victim Protests.

Edward C. Rents, of Rents Bros., told his story of trouble with the association. It was in the rear of his store that he found a nitroglycerin bomb which had failed to explode a week ago.

"Last summer I began to have a lot of trouble in getting steam fitting supplies," he said. "One concern with which I had traded for years suddenly told me that they couldn't fill my orders. I asked what I was going to do, and an officer of the company suggested to me that I had better join the organization.

"I pressed him for more information, and learned that the wholesale dealers had been threatened with a boycott if they sold goods to nonmembers of the association.

"I went downtown to the offices of the organization and asked about it, and how I could become a member. I was told about the $25 application fee and the $75 initiation fee. Then I was told that I would have to pay in 1 per cent of the amount of my contracts, but that the arrangement wouldn't hurt me financially, because it was the rule that the 1 per cent should be added to the contract price, and would come out of the pockets of my patrons.

"As all the other members of the organization would conform to the same practice, the added amount wouldn't hurt my chances in bidding for contracts. The man I talked

with explained that the 1 per cent would be used to meet office and 'organization' expenses, and if there was anything left at the end of the year it would be divided among the members.

Told to Get Out of Business.

"'Now, how much business do you do a year,' he asked me. I said that the system would be all to my advantage because I did little contracting work, my work consisting mostly of job work, which could not be assessed as contract work, repairing boilers, and replacing radiators and the like. 'Well, if that's the case, I don't know that you can join,' said this officer. 'But if I can't join this organization, how am I going to get what supplies I need?' I asked him. 'You don't want to drive me out of the business?' 'Well, that might be about as good a thing as you could do—get out of the steamfitting line,' he replied.

"I told him I would see them all in a certain hot place before I would let them drive me out of business, and then I left.

Bomb Left as a Card?

"I happen to belong to the master plumbers' organization, and there is a fight between two journeymen steamfitters' unions. One of the members of this 'coöperative organization' used to be a union steamfitter. So a couple of weeks ago he attended a meeting of the master plumbers and asked us to support his old union by refusing to hire men in the other.

"'Now you want some of us to help you when you are trying to ruin us through this other contracting steamfitters' organization,' I reminded him. 'O, that can be arranged', he said. 'Let's all get together, and you pay your $100, and you can come in.' I said that I wouldn't pay 100 cents to them and that I would hire whom I pleased—union men, of course. I didn't join the organization—and a bomb was left in my store last week."

Both Werdell and Rentz said they had heard Lang tell of experiences similar to theirs.

The investigation of the bomb throwing and of the "Coöperative association" and its activities has been delegated to the charge of Capt. Stephen B. Wood of the detective department. Detectives from the Sheffield and Warren avenue stations also have been assigned to the case.

EXPLOSION IN STORE KILLS; GIRL GOES MAD IN THE PANIC.

Fire Which Follows Gas Blowup in Pennsylvania Establishment Does Much Damage.

Connellsville, Pa., Jan. 12.—Five persons are dead and twelve injured as a result of a gas explosion which today wrecked a five and ten cent store, set fire to and destroyed the building, and damaged nine other structures.

The Dead.

MULAC, MINNIE, aged 16, clerk.
SMITH, CHRISTOBEL S., aged 16, clerk.
WAGNER, MABEL GRACE, aged 18, clerk.
UNIDENTIFIED WOMAN.
UNIDENTIFIED MAN.

The explosion blew out the front wall of the building, tore down telephone, telegraph, and electric light wires, which hung about sputtering and hissing, and hampering attempts at rescue. Clerks and customers were buried in the collapse of the building and those that were able to get out, report thrilling experiences.

One young woman, whose burned body was found later, went mad in the store after the crash and bit the hand of a man who tried to rescue her. Another young woman was identified only by her shoes, which her father recognized, and two others, a man and a woman, were taken from the ruins tonight so burned that they have not been identified.

Workmen who had removed a natural gas meter failed to cap the supply pipe and just as a porter was instructed to do so by the store manager the explosion came.

Fatal Fire at Findlay, Ill.

Findlay, Ill., Jan. 12.—[Special.]—As the result of a fire that started in the Masonic building one man is dead, three seriously injured, and one missing. A gas explosion in the upper story of the burning building flung the brick walls out in all directions and a hundred persons had remarkable escapes.

Fires Hurt 25 New York Firemen.

New York, Jan. 12.—Twenty firemen were injured, one perhaps fatally, and damage aggregating $150,000 was caused by a series of five fires today.

SEATTLE WOMEN TAKE OATH THAT THEY ARE MALE PERSONS.

Form of Registration Vow Responsible for Affirmation Which Puts Suffragets on Record as Unsexing Selves.

Seattle, Wash., Jan. 12.—[Special.]—Approximately 4,000 women in Seattle have sworn they are "male persons" and now that the army of suffragets knows the worst, the deceived women are out gunning for a man to blame. The form of vow adopted by law for administering to citizens the oath of registration states that the person being sworn is a "male person." It has not been changed by legislative enactment, although women have been enfranchised in this state and those taking part in the present city registration have subscribed to an oath that makes them "male persons."

FUTILE ATTACK ON HOSPITAL INQUIRY

County Commissioners Fail in Effort to Halt Investigation by Merit Board.

ARE COMPELLED TO YIELD

Physicians Accused of Neglecting to Make Required Visits to Patients.

Half a dozen angry county commissioners descended upon the County hospital yesterday afternoon and made an unsuccessful attempt to block the investigation by the civil service commission, which was about to resume its questioning of witnesses regarding the management of the institution. The county commissioners charged John P. McGoorty, Ballard Dunn, and John Fichter, the three members of the merit board, with disrupting the discipline of the hospital and advertising the delinquencies of the institution in order to gain a little glory for themselves.

"You have gone 'way beyond the authority vested in you as members of the civil service board," said Joseph Carolan, one of the county commissioners.

"You have turned the County hospital topsy-turvy and made it impossible to maintain discipline and bring about the changes desired," said William C. Hartray, a member of the hospital committee of the county board.

"Looks to me as if you were getting a little too much cheap notoriety," said Dr. George Sultan, chairman of the hospital committee.

County Commissioners Joseph M. Fitzgerald, Charles Glennon, and Joseph Mendel looked on approvingly, but said nothing.

"Umph!" said Commissioner Lawrence J. Coffey. "Guess it's all right."

Action Defended by McGoorty.

When the storm had subsided somewhat Mr. McGoorty started to defend the position of the civil service commission.

"This investigation has disclosed a lot of things that it is our business to know," said he.

"Politics, politics, too much politics," remarked Mr. Hartray.

"If you call this investigation politics, it's mighty good politics," said Mr. McGoorty.

"Well, what we object to," said Mr. Carolan, "is the manner in which you are conducting this investigation. You are advertising to the public the shortcomings of the county hospital in such a manner as to imply that the old board knew nothing about it. The fact is the same faults you have brought to the light were used by the old county board as arguments to obtain the $3,000,000 appropriation for a new hospital."

Somewhat mollified, and after receiving the assurance of the three civil service commissioners that politics would not be allowed to enter into the inquiry, Commissioners Hartray and Carolan, both Republican members of the county board, entered into the spirit of the thing and began asking questions themselves. Commissioner Sultan already had been won over. Mr. Glennon and Mr. Coffey both left the room, Glennon remarking that the whole thing made him tired.

Dr. Colwell, the assistant warden, testified that there are twelve patients at the county hospital to one nurse, whereas in first class institutions the rule is from four to five patients to each nurse.

Policeman with a "Pull."

At this juncture, Commissioner Hartray, evidently remembering what he had read in the morning newspapers about favoritism shown patients at the hospital who had a political "pull," remarked:

"I never heard of any patient receiving better treatment than the rest because of political pull—have you?" turning to Commissioner Carolan.

"Only once," said his colleague. "That was in the case of a policeman."

Futher questioning of Dr. Colwell brought out the information that the hospital is without a checking system for the nurses, and has to depend upon a daily report made by Miss Helen Hay, who represents the Illinois Training School for Nurses.

Dr. Colwell admitted he had little or no control of the attending staff. Their visits, he said, supposed to be three times a week according to the rules of the hospital, were irregular and unsatisfactory.

Says Physicians Neglect Duty.

Some of the physicians, he said, would not visit the hospital for a week at a time. The hospital records when examined showed that Dr. Charles A. Elliott, Dr. Lawrence L. Goodkind, and Dr. Winfield Harpole were not at the hospital once during last December, and Dr. Charles L. Mix was absent six times.

It was disclosed through witnesses that there has never been a fire drill at the institution and that the elevators are unsafe and liable to stick between floors.

Warden Charles L. Bailey at once started about organizing a volunteer fire department in the hospital and repairing the broken hose and damaged fire fighting apparatus.

PERIL IN DUNNING "REFORM"

Bartzen's Innovations Regarded as Menace to Insane.

WOULD ELIMINATE INTERNES

Eberlein Budget Also Would Cut the Number of Nurses.

A serious backward step in the administration of the insane hospital at Dunning will result, in the opinion of Chicago physicians, if "Rampaging Peter" Bartzen succeeds in putting into effect the plans formulated by Dr. "Woodbine" Eberlein for the coming year.

These plans are based upon an alleged policy of retrenchment, but will result in little, if any, saving while opportunities for political appointment will be increased, and the efficiency of the medical staff will be materially impaired.

Physicians point out that insane asylums have come to be officially designated as "hospitals" for the insane and they say the new policy at Dunning will tend to take it out of the class of institutions entitled to this appellation and to make it a mere "prison" for the insane.

Eliminates Head Physician.

Before he was ousted by Bartzen, Dr. Willhite had prepared estimates of the medical service needed, as follows: One chief of medical staff; eight senior physicians; one assistant physician; three internes.

Dr. Eberlein, now in charge, proposes that the medical staff shall consist of: Six senior physicians; one senior physician at the tuberculosis hospital; and four assistant physicians.

It is alleged the position of chief of the medical staff is abolished by the new head in order to get rid permanently of Dr. Clark, who is under civil service. Physicians say the wisdom of cutting off the head physician—considering that the institution contains 2,800 sick people, for this is the twentieth century classification of the insane—is doubtful.

The total number of physicians is cut down from thirteen to eleven by the Eberlein budget, but the interne system is done away with entirely. Doctors say internes are the most economical and indispensable feature of a hospital, being trained young physicians who work for a nominal sum for the purpose of becoming specialists.

Two Nurses for 2,300 Sick People.

Similar changes are contemplated in the nursing staff. Dr. Willhite's estimate is one female superintendent of nurses and five trained nurses.

Dr. Eberlein would have two trained nurses, one female supervisor, no training required; one female assistant supervisor, no training required.

The net result would be the abolition of the chief trained nurse and of three other trained nurses and the substitution of two old fashioned untrained supervisors at the head of the system. Leaving out of consideration the leeway this gives for two political appointments, doctors say this is probably the most serious of the backward steps proposed.

"It would be as bad," said a physician, "to take medical attention and nursing away from the patients at Dunning as from those at Mercy hospital, yet Dr. Eberlein's proposed reform would leave 2,800 patients with but two trained nurses.

Saloonkeeper Kolze a Power.

It is alleged that Henry J. Kolze, who operates a saloon across the street from Dunning hospital, has a share in the "reforms," and to his saloon "Rampaging Peter" is said to have summoned Eberlein to confer on the policies of Dunning retrenchment.

The situation is said to be the all engrossing topic of conversation at the hospital. Eberlein is circulating petitions in his own behalf and the minor attendants spend much of their time standing in the corridors talking politics.

MAN DARNS ON FRONT LAWN AND WIFE IS GRANTED DIVORCE

Minnesota Court Takes Into Consideration Effect on Woman's Feelings in Granting Her a Decree.

Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 12.—[Special.]—A man may mend his own trousers and darn his own socks, but he has't the right to do this on the front lawn and call the attention of the neighbors to the fact that his wife has overlooked these little jobs.

The Hennepin county District court settled this question in a decision filed today granting Nettie Weekly a divorce from Henry R. Weekly.

In less than three months after marriage, she said, he began mending his clothes on the front lawn. She said he also hid the soap so that she could not get the clothes clean.

Mrs. Weekly said he kept tab on her by looking into the garbage can to see what she wasted. She could never peel the potatoes thin enough, she said.

SIMS MAY RESIGN FROM NAVY.

Taft's Rebuke Following "Last Drop of Blood" Speech Arouses Indignation of Officer's Wife.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 12.—[Special.]—Commander William S. Sims of the United States battleship Minnesota, who has been reprimanded by President Taft for his "last drop of blood" speech in London recently, may resign from the navy, according to a report current here tonight. According to this story Mrs. Sims has cabled her husband advising him to resign. Mrs. Sims is a daughter of the late Ethan Allen Hitchcock, secretary of the interior under Roosevelt.

CITY TO EMPLOY BLACKHAND SQUAD

Finance Committee Gives Steward 8 Sicilians to Wipe Out Italian Terrorism.

WARD IN GRIP OF BAND.

Chief Gets More Money to Fix Stations, but Pay Raise Is Not Acted Upon.

Ald. B. F. Clettenberg, in whose ward, the Twenty-second, lies most of Chicago's Italian colony, declared last night that its residents, terrorized by threats and acts of which the police know nothing, are at the mercy of the Black Hand.

He made this statement to the city council committee on finance in urging an appropriation for the waging of war against the mysterious operators with detectives of their own race. After listening to him the committee authorized Chief of Police Steward to employ eight Sicilians as the nucleus of a corps with which to wipe out the alleged society in the city.

Clettenberg declared from his own experience that several hundred of the more wealthy class of Italians in his ward have been hounded so severely that many of them have been driven from the colony. He insisted that even a greater number of men than that voted to the chief should be employed at once.

Need Twice as Many Sleuths.

"The situation is serious," the chief explained, "and we must have these men. They alone can get into the confidence of the victims and lead us back to the perpetrators. A special examination has been held in the Sicilian language and I am confident we can obtain the right sort of operatives. I wanted twice this many men, but I told Controller Wilson I could get along with eight."

"I don't think eight is enough," said Ald. Clettenberg. "I think the chief should be given at least ten. We ought to have at least five men in our ward alone. The Sicilians are by far the worst of the lot, and we must have that kind of men to handle the cases.

"Sometimes as many as twenty and thirty letters a week are sent to residents of this colony, and they won't tell you or me anything about them. They won't tell anybody—not one of the present members of the police department—about them. Their children are stolen and they keep it to themselves because they are afraid to tell. The result is that the richer residents are moving away. Four or five hundred of them have been threatened and abused, and the only thing they can do is to move away."

Pay Increase Is Avoided.

Item by item the committee reviewed the appropriations of the department, in several instances giving Chief Steward increases above the amounts allowed him by Controller Wilson, but the subject of salary raises was carefully avoided. Some aldermen were willing to let the question come to a vote, but others recognized the futility of such a step in the face of Controller Wilson's proof that the money is not forthcoming. The entire matter was postponed for consideration after the appropriations for all the departments have been reviewed. It is probable then that the question will go to the council without a formal vote in committee. The predicament was brought about by rumors that thirty-five of the sixty-six aldermen have been pledged to vote for the "raises" and that a policemen's fund of $50,000 was raised to bring about the granting of the increase.

Among the chief's victories were an increase in the number of ambulance surgeons, the employment of clerks, teamsters, and operators to take the places of patrolmen and sergeants now assigned to that work, and an increase in the amount allowed for repairs to station houses and barns.

Gets More Money for Repairs.

Backed by pleas of police surgeons he was given six more men of this description, making a total of twenty-two, which will enable him to put two more ambulances into service.

The subject of building repairs was debated. The chief's estimate was that he needed $49,600, but this figure was cut to $15,000 by the controller.

"It's a shame the city will let its property go to pieces beyond repair," declared Ald. B. W. Snow, "while it pays out most of its money in salaries. Some of these stations are a disgrace to the city. They aren't fit for policemen to occupy."

"We have two of them," said Secretary Mayer, "that the men won't sleep in. We haven't spent one dollar in repairing them in six years."

Rents Prove a Puzzle.

The committee was in a quandary when it came to an item of $17,500 for rents and was told that in addition to this amount the city will have to send other large sums. Chief Steward told them that there is no provision in the new city hall for the detective bureau and several other bureaus, and that the lease on the Harrison street station can be canceled on sixty days' notice. He said he had been informed that this step soon will be taken by Rand, McNally & Co., who hold a lease from the board of education.

GIVES PEARY OFFICIAL O. K.

Congressional Subcommittee Upholds Explorer's Claim to Finding of the North Pole.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 12.—Capt. Robert E. Peary, the arctic explorer, today was formally approved in his claim for congressional recognition at the hands of a subcommittee of the house committee on naval affairs.

FIGHT EDDY WILL; HUGE GIFT VOID?

(Continued from first page.)

evil spirits under the influence of what she called malicious animal magnetism, and had become hostile to her, and she had declared her intention to disinherit him, and she had also gone on to conceive the same delusion concerning her adopted son, Dr. Foster Eddy, and had kept them both out of her presence and had allowed Dr. Foster Eddy to be expelled from the Christian Science religious body."

Quotes Letter from Mrs. Eddy.

Mr. Chandler quotes a letter from Mrs. Eddy dated Concord, Sept. 22, 1890, making the charge against her son George. In it Mrs. Eddy said:

"Dear Student: I see this morning the purpose of the enemy. It is to break my will at my decease, if this can be accomplished. My son in South Dakota is a victor at law, and M. A. H. will influence him to break my will. Now this I enjoin on you: Enquire of the best copyright lawyers out of Boston you can find, if I can assign my copyright of "Science and Health" and "Unity of Good" to someone who could hold it if my will was broken and never name this party in my will or name him to whom it is assigned, whichever would make it legal. Find this out at once, and the way of conveyance of any copyrght, so that if my will should be disputped or broken the publishing of 'Science and Health' and 'Unity of Good' could go on without hindrance.

"Be perfectly silent to all but legal parties about what I have written. The Boston lawyers whom I have employed are demoralized by M. A. M. Note this."

The letter from Mr. Chandler to Prof. Taylor also describes the seclusion in which Mrs. Eddy lived and the nature of the influences about her, on account of which the letter says, "her sons naturally became apprehensive."

NAME TRUSTEES FOR CHURCHES

Christian Scientists of Chicago and Suburbs Select Boards at Annual Election.

Churches of Christ, Scientist, in Chicago and suburbs, held their annual election of trustees last evening. No readers were chosen, as these are elected for three years, and the present ones retain their places until next year's elections. The boards chosen were:

FIRST CHURCH—Mrs. Helen B. Putnam, Miss Mary G. Ewing, Mrs. Harriet E. Hamlin, Mrs. Grace G. King, Mrs. Carlotta S. Signor, William R. Noyes, John T. Cowles, Jacob F. Shield, John C. Ryan, George H. Towne.

SECOND CHURCH—Mrs. Bertha Hjerman, Miss Emma Winheim, Mrs. Matilda Smith, Mrs. Olive Myers, Mrs. Ida Schaffner, J. George Dietrich, Arthur H. Pinkerton, C. N. Flint, Kennath Gillanders, E. N. Bornhorst.

SIXTH CHURCH—S. W. Merchant, J. A. Strom, Peter Ness, Richard Krnpzel, Hugo Burgeson, Miss Bertha J. Kallum, Miss Gunelle Kallum, Miss Olga Wadman, Mrs. Emma Rumsey, Mrs. Ella Howe.

FIRST CHURCH OF LA GRANGE—Henry Werno, Edgar N. Mattes, Harry E. Goan, Mrs. Maud L. Whitman, Miss Eva M. Keyes, Miss Lucia Morse.

FIFTH CHURCH—Miss Winifred S. Ross, Mrs. Geneva M. Clippinger, Mrs. Grace D. Groesbeck, Mrs. Rosalie G. Armory, Mrs. May P. Cameron, John Stuart Coonley, J. Stratton Taylor, William Padgett, Thomas B. Garst, and John K. Allen.

FOURTH CHURCH—Mrs. Johanna Hesse, Mrs. Edna S. Wood, Mrs. C. M. Carr, Mrs. Anna S. Lonsdale, Mrs. Lulu T. Lander, W. T. Murphy, William D. Pickels, F. R. Hilton, Oscar E. Flint, and F. M. Timms.

FIRST CHURCH OF EVANSTON—Mrs. Lillian W. Knight, Mrs. Bessie Shaw, Mrs. Emma Bush, Mrs. Kate Hoge, Mrs. Cynthia Congdon, Frank C. Hall, John W. Knight, E. W. De Moe, Clifford J. Ellis, and Mark W. Shaw.

SECOND CHURCH OF OAK PARK—Mrs. Margaret Maynard, Mrs. Mary P. Marble, and Herbert Packard.

BILL MAY LENGTHEN SKIRTS.

Kansas Legislator Introduces Measure Also Prohibiting Wearing of Tights on the Stage.

Topeka, Kas., Jan. 12.—Representative George Coles of Meade county introduced a bill in the house today to prohibit the wearing of tights on the stage or in public by any woman. It provides that skirts worn in public must be not less than four inches below the knee.

SNOW AND FAMINE TRAP 70 ON TRAIN

Passengers Caught in Blizzard High in Rocky Mountains Cannot Escape.

FOOD SUPPLY NOT GREAT.

Rotary Plows Are Unable to Open Tracks; Mercury Registers 40 Below Zero.

Spokane, Wash., Jan. 12.—[Special.]—Facing almost certain starvation and possible death by freezing unless aid reaches them soon, fifty passengers from Chicago and other eastern points are held prisoners in a Great Northern train that is hemmed in by giant snow drifts in one of the highest passes of the Rocky mountains in Montana.

Imprisoned with the passengers, but unable to do much to relieve their plight, are nearly twenty train hands and railway postal clerks, the latter being on a mail train which is stalled a short distance from the "Oregonian Limited," as the passenger is known on the train schedules.

Four rotary snow plows have been sent to the aid of the stalled trains, two from each of the stations nearest Fielding, Mont., to the east and west. The trains are near Fielding. None of the rotaries has been able to make any impression on the huge drifts. In fact, one west bound rotary succeeded in getting about thirty miles from Havre, Mont., on its relief mission. It could go no further, and when an attempt was made to return it was found that the track also was blocked. This rotary still is stuck in the snow.

No Recent Word from Trains.

The two trains have been held in the drifts since Monday and the last word from either was received on Tuesday, when one of the crew of the limited succeeded in reaching a telegraph box and establishing a connection with Havre. He reported that their food supply was running out, as there was no dining car on the train, and that there was only a small quantity of fuel. The mail train has not been heard from since Monday and the men on board are believed to be in a more desperate plight than their fellow prisoners on the passenger train.

At no time since the trains were stalled has the thermometer registered a higher temperature than 26 degrees below zero. Yesterday and Tuesday the mercury hovered between 40 and 50 below, with a fifty mile gale raging that blew the fine snow into tighter drifts and made the work of attempted rescue an almost superhuman task.

In order to make any headway at all against the gigantic drifts that are piled up all along the Great Northern tracks it is necessary for the rotaries to be coupled back to back, with two powerful engines in between. This snow bucking machine then proceeds into the drifts as far as possible, backing out with the aid of the rear rotary in order to gain a fresh start for the charge on the piled up snow.

Quarters of the Snowbound Band.

The limited is composed of two standard Pullman sleepers, one tourist sleeper, and two day coaches, as well as the usual complement of baggage and express cars. The train plies regularly between St. Paul and the coast, taking passengers from Chicago at the former city.

Supt. Smith of the Havre division of the road is at Essex, Mont., with a crew ready to take a rotary into the drifts as soon as the storm abates. The rotaries which are bucking the drift at present left from Cutbank on the east and Whitefish, Mont., on the west, but Mr. Smith says he has little hope that either will reach the trains unless the wind goes down.

Police Seek a Missing Tailor.

Police were asked yesterday to hunt for John Schmidt, 38 years old, 2321 North Halsted street, a tailor, who has been missing since Nov. 30. His wife fears he has met with foul play or an accident.

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CHICAGO'S OPERA RECEIPTS $500,000

Season of Sixty-nine Performances Within $10,000 of Paying Expenses.

SMALL LOSS A SURPRISE.

Many Novelties Presented to Subscribers, and Manager Is Well Pleased.

Receipts of the first season of the Chicago Opera company will total $500,000 according to the statement issued by Director Dippel last night. This sum represents the income from 63 performances of opera in Chicago, presenting, with the double bills, 69 operas, counting repetitions. It includes also the receipts from the seasons of four performances each in St. Louis and St. Paul, and from the ten Campanini Sunday concerts.

The western season has endured eleven weeks and the company has a season of similar duration in Philadelphia, New York, and Baltimore. Since the season subscriptions in those cities exceed the guaranteed support in Chicago by $2,000 and $3,000 a night, Mr. Dippel believes himself justified in predicting another $500,000 income from the eastern season.

Owing to the great expense of the inaugural season in Chicago there will be a slight loss—probably not more than $10,000. Mr. Dippel says the expenses of the first Chicago season have exceeded those of the four Imperial theaters of Germany in Berlin, Cassell, Hanover, and Wiesbaden.

More Expected Next Year.

For next season Mr. Dippel believes himself justified in predicting an even larger subscription sale. Judging by the inquiries, he estimates Chicago subscriptions for next season will amount to $5,000 a night, which is what Philadelphia has subscribed this season.

The novelties promised for next year are "Natome," by Victor Herbert, in English; "Samson et Delilah," "The Juggler of Notre Dame," and "Quo Vadis" in French; "Manon" of Puccini in Italian; "The Children of the King," by Humperdinck, in English, and five other works to be decided. Further performances in English promised are "Tristan and Isolde," "The Valkyrie," and "Hansel and Gretel." Mosart's "Marriage of Figaro" and "Don Giovani" will be included also in the repertory.

The small subscription this year necessitated the repetition of operas which proved especially popular. Thus, "Thais" has been given six times; "Pagliacci," six times; "The Girl of the Golden West," five times; "Aida," five times; "Cavalleria," five times; "Pelleas et Melisande," "Louise," "Tales of Hoffmann," "Tosca," and "Rigoletto," four times; "Mme. Butterfly," "La Boheme," "Carmen," "Faust," three times; "Salome," La Traviata," and "Il Trovatore," twice; "Lucia," "Les Huguenots," "Otello," and "Un Ballo in Maschera," once. In all, twenty-one operas and sixty-nine performances.

Dippel Talks of Repertory.

In regard to the repertory Mr. Dippel said: "In making the repertory the management was compelled to take the different subscription nights and Saturday matinée as a unit. At a glance it might look as if some of the series had been especially featured as to guest appearances, but when it is considered that the matinées had to be included in the box subscription it will be seen that no discrimination has been intended.

"The management had also contemplated two more appearances of Mme. Melba, but they had to be canceled on account of the artist's illness and departure for Europe.

"The subscription series, which included Monday evenings and two Saturday matinées, heard Mme. Melba, Mme. Melis, and Mr. Caruso as 'guests.' Subscribers for Tuesday evenings and three Saturday matinées heard Miss Farrar, Miss Lipkowska, and Messrs. Constantino and Scotti. Wednesday evening subscribers, who also had tickets for three matinées, heard Mme. Melba, Mme. Gadski, and Mr. Caruso. Thursday evening patrons with matinée tickets heard Miss Farrar, Mme. Gadski, Miss Lipkowska, and Mr. Scotti.

Novelties for Subscribers.

"As to novelties, the Monday night subscribers had practically the premiere of 'Salome,' because the first performance was given outside of the subscription. Tuesday night subscribers had the premiere of 'Thais' and 'The Girl of the Golden West;' Wednesday night subscribers 'Louise;' Thursday night subscribers 'Tales of Hoffman,' and the subscribers for matinees had 'Pelleas et Melisande.'"

AMAZED AT VICE CONDITIONS DISCLOSED IN INVESTIGATION.

Members of Two Committees of Commission Submit Reports—Work Almost Finished.

Practically the last reports of the ten committees into which the Chicago vice commission was divided were made last night at a meeting held at the Union League club.

The committee on local conditions made forty-five recommendations, covering every phase of the conditions which have been under investigation by this committee.

Another report was received from the medical committee in which there were also a number of recommendations for changes in the city ordinances and state statutes.

It was said that in these two reports were revelations concerning vice conditions which have been discovered that astounded the commission as a whole, although previous reports had opened their eyes to grievous conditions.

Only two more reports are being waited for before the commission's finding will be ready for transmittal to Mayor Busse.

The report when printed will make a volume of about 350 pages, and is said to be the most complete summary of the kind ever submitted by any municipal body.

PUNCHED, SUES FOR $10,000.

Henry E. Cordell Accuses G. H. Johnson of Striking Him on a Railroad Train.

Henry E. Cordell, formerly deputy building commissioner, now of Bowmanville, filed suit for $10,000 in the Superior court yesterday against George H. Johnson, 3550 Sheffield avenue.

Only the præcipe was filed, but, according to Attorney Robert L. Campbell, the defendant attacked his client on a Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railroad train last Sunday on the way to Chicago from Fox Lake, inflicting serious injuries.

"Mr. Cordell told me the attack was the result of an old grudge Mr. Johnson held against him," said the attorney. "My client was struck several times, but did not strike back."

Burned Child Dies in Hospital.

John Kenny, 6 years old, whose clothing caught fire on Jan. 10 when he was playing near a bonfire back of his parents' residence at 2026 Wilcox avenue, died of his injuries yesterday at the Mercy Home hospital.

Mother and Children Who Figured in Strange Psychic Communication.

MRS. HAROLD MORTON and RENA MORTON

HALT RACE OF AFFINITY MAN

W. A. Sadler of Blackstone Hotel and County Hospital Fame Held

ST. PAUL DEBT 'COMES BACK.'

Got $100 to Flee Woman Whom Mother Has Just Sent Away.

Walter A. Sadler, alias Salter, a practicing attorney of Toronto, Can., where his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John J. Sadler, are said to be prominent, was arrested on a charge of grand larceny yesterday and will be turned over to the police authorities of St. Paul, Minn., today.

He is the man who early last month became ill with pneumonia at the Blackstone hotel and was sent to the county hospital, where there was a scene between his parents and his affinity, a handsome, mysterious woman who claimed to be his wife. Sadler now bemoans his fate and attributes it all to "women and booze."

Lieut. O'Malley of the detective bureau directed Sadler's arrest on the strength of a telegram from John J. O'Connor, chief of the St. Paul police, whose authority was an information sworn out by L. H. Ickler, cashier of the American National bank of that city, which claims to have lost $100 through cashing a worthless draft for Sadler.

Arrested When He Called for Mail.

Detectives Ellsworth and McGinnis, city men, and Assistant Manager McCaffrey of a national detective agency took the prisoner in custody when he called for mail at the Great Northern hotel.

Sadler said he could not understand his arrest, but the Pinkerton agency gave out that he also "operated" in Minneapolis, Toronto, New York, and Hot Springs, Ark.

His parents came to Chicago immediately on being informed of his illness. They paid his bill at the Blackstone, and, it is believed, helped induce the mysterious affinity to leave for whereabouts unknown. The parents took charge of his trunks, and had him removed to a private hospital as soon as his condition would permit.

His mother was with him when he was turned out of the hospital as fully recovered, and he had just put her on a homebound train when he repaired to the hotel and was arrested.

Went to Alaska with Affinity.

This affinity accompanied Sadler on a trip to Alaska, and on the home trip stopped off with him at Spokane, Seattle, and St. Paul. Then he eluded her and came to Chicago.

"My heavens, I don't know what it means," wailed the prisoner. "But it's the story of the gay life—too much booze and women. It's a fast pace, all right, but look out for that sudden ending. It comes like a thud.

"I have a good wife home in Toronto, but she learned of my transgressions and sued for divorce. I did everything in my power to effect a reconciliation, but without avail. Then, to forget it, I went to Alaska, where I am interested in mining properties, and that woman—that affinity—who seemed to hold me in a death grasp, followed.

"Well, we were living the gay life in St. Paul, and I found myself stranded. I introduced myself to a fraternity brother. I drew a draft on a New York friend—a man on whom I had drawn before—and the St. Paul man took me to the bank and had it cashed."

BUSINESS MEN ELECT CHIEFS.

Old Officers Returned by South Side Association—Seek Recreation Pier.

The South Side Business Men's association reelected Gustav Walliser president; T. W. Hipkin, vice president; W. T. Hicks, secretary; Jacob Spengler, treasurer; Joseph Fienberg, financial secretary; and W. S. Knetsly, guard, for the ensuing year at its meeting last night. M. F. Ernst was chosen a member of the board of directors to succeed Henry E. Nabet. A committee consisting of John Herron, T. J. Holmes, I. W. Hipkin, Max Schiff, and M. B. Louer was appointed to present to the city council the advantages of a recreation pier extending into the lake from Thirty-first street over the projected bathing beach at Twenty-second street.

Money Orders Free Prisoner.

Former Constable Ahern, manager of a north shore pavilion near Evanston in the summer, was freed yesterday upon the receipt of money orders by his grocers and other debtors after he had been charged with and jailed for obtaining credit on false pretenses.

DREAMS AS GIRL IS HEROINE

Chicago Mother Figures in Odd Psychic Communication.

EAT CAKE IN A SHIP FIRE.

Daughter and Brother Admired by Steamer's Passengers.

Two pieces of angel cake on board a burning steamer in the Pacific ocean, and a premonition in a Chicago home, were the chief connections of a psychic "wireless" telegraph system established between the steamer and Chicago early yesterday morning.

The first and last message sent over the system was dispatched by Miss Rena Morton and her brother Harold, who formerly resided at 845 Leland avenue. While they were dining aboard the steamship Flyer, which plies between Seattle and Tacoma, a fire was discovered in the engine room. The ship was headed at full speed for the shore and the passengers made a rush for life preservers.

Remain to Munch Cake.

Miss Norton and her brother, however, refused to be annoyed. They stood upon the deck after all but themselves had fled, and continued to munch the toothsome angel food. The fire was put out before it did any great amount of damage, and the two were immediately voted a hero and heroine.

In the meantime, Mrs. M. E. Morton, their mother, was having a vision in the Leland avenue home. She dreamed that her daughter walked into the bedroom, looked directly at her mother, and then walked out through a closed door.

Frightened by the Vision.

"The dream frightened me," said Mrs. Morton. "I felt sure that something must have happened to Rena and Harold. I couldn't get to sleep again. When a copy of THE TRIBUNE came I hastily looked over the news, and almost the first thing I saw were their names. The shock greatly unnerved me and I collapsed before I could read the article. My youngest son soon assured me that my children were safe."

Young Morton, although he is only 21 years old, was recently appointed manager of the Seattle branch of a large rubber and tire company. His sister is acting as his stenographer.

WAYMAN DEFENDS THE LASH.

Calls Corporal Punishment First Lesson in Discipline and in Civic Betterment and Urges Its Use.

Corporal punishment as the first lesson in discipline and in civic betterment warmly was defended and earnestly urged by State's Attorney John E. W. Wayman in an address before the Oak Park Business Men's association at their annual banquet last night in the Masonic temple, Oak Park.

"Begin with the boy and the future of the man is safe," asserted Mr. Wayman. "It is far better to wear stripes on the back during school life than in later life at the state's expense."

Referring to the present traction difficulty Mr. Wayman said: "More efficiency and less graft is the solution of the problem. The traction interests have no right to discontinue service, and to show that I am with you in this matter I have today filed papers in proceedings to recover $70,000 under the state law which provides a fine of $1,000 for each and every day the service is denied you."

SUES FOR $50,000 DAMAGES.

Charles E. Schubert Sued by Max Schuchardt for Slanderous Statements.

Suit for $50,000 damages for slander was filed in the Superior court yesterday against Charles E. Schubert, 1932 Greenleaf avenue, Rogers Park. The complainant is Max Schuchardt, 1209 Lunt avenue, who has an office in the First National Bank building.

Only the præcipe was filed. Attorney F. D. Silber, who filed the suit, would only say that the action is based on slanderous statements alleged to have been made by Schubert about Mr. Schuchardt. The principals could not be reached last night.

"I am not at liberty to tell the circumstances that led up to the suit," said Attorney Silber. "The action is based on slander. That is all I can say at present."

SON OF GUNTHER TO ASK A DIVORCE

Candymaker Confirms Report Young Man Is in Reno to Begin Suit.

WIFE IN MINNEAPOLIS.

Couple Separated Last June Following Stories of Their Incompatibility.

Burnell Gunther, son of Charles F. Gunther, millionaire candy manufacturer of Chicago, is in Reno, Nev., where he will begin action for divorce from his wife, formerly Miss Edith Williams.

It is probable incompatibility of temperament will be charged as the basis for legal separation.

Gunther was married to Miss Williams, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick O. Williams of Minneapolis, Minn., at St. Paul's church, Minneapolis, two years ago this month. The wedding attracted considerable attention. Among the 300 guests were well known people from a dozen western cities.

Last June Mr. and Mrs. Gunther separated. She went at once to the residence of her parents, and intimate friends of the pair were given to understand at the time that there was little probability a reconciliation ever would be effected.

Father Confirms Report.

"My son has filed no papers in connection with divorce proceedings as yet, but it is only a question of time when he will do so," said C. F. Gunther at his residence, 3601 Michigan avenue, last night.

"Burnell should have arrived at Reno today. I told him while he was there to look the situation over and decide then what he thought best to do. If it is convenient for him to begin action there I presume that he will.

"My son and his wife have not been able to get along. They separated last June after a series of misunderstandings. There were attempts at reconciliation, but to no purpose.

"Recently he has been traveling along the Pacific coast and throughout the west establishing agencies for our candy. Relatives of his wife first spread the report of contemplated divorce. We heard several months ago that she would begin action. Nothing has been done, however, and so when my son's trips promised to take him to Nevada we decided that he would better inquire into the situation with reference to starting proceedings himself.

"Either he or his wife will file papers in the near future. If she begins the action it must be in Chicago, where they lived. I expect to hear from Burnell with reference to his plans within a day or two. They have no children."

Center of College Romance.

Mrs. Gunther, then Miss Edith Williams, was a student at the University of Chicago in 1903-1904 and, aside from having a reputation as a beautiful girl, was one of the most popular in university circles. She was the center of a college romance which also included Julien Lafayette Brode, a student from Memphis, Tenn.

During Brode's senior year a bitter fight was waged between the fraternities for the honor of leading the junior promenade, the big social function of the spring quarter. Political tactics won the election for Brode, but with his choice there was a tacit agreement as to the girl he should choose as his partner. After the announcement of Brode's election he repudiated other claims and picked Miss Williams for his partner. A report of their engagement was circulated subsequently.

While his future wife was interested in this college affair Burnell Gunther was made the object of a $25,000 damage suit for alienation of a wife's affections, brought by Harrison J. Wolfe, an actor. Wolfe said Gunther had won the affection of his wife, known on the stage as Marie Barringer, while the latter was appearing in a theatrical production.

Gunther later threatened prosecution of Wolfe, charging improper use of the mails.

Wears Big Brown Diamond.

At the Gunther wedding in Minneapolis much comment was made about a large brown diamond which the bride wore as her only ornament. It was set in a necklace of hand-wrought silver and there were circulated many reports as to its fabulous value. The bride and groom went to Cuba for their wedding trip and on their return to Chicago took up their residence at the residence of the young man's father.

SAYS WIFE IS EXTRAVAGANT; HAD TO LIMIT EXPENSES.

George P. Nichols in Divorce Suit Also Alleges Cruelty—Mrs. Jelke Wins Child.

George P. Nichols of Riverside, manufacturer of railroad machinery, yesterday accused his wife of extravagance in entertaining friends at his expense when business was not good. He testified in the divorce suit which is being tried before Judge Cooper.

Mr. Nichols also alleged that his wife struck him when he reprimanded their oldest daughter, and on other occasions.

"I often spoke to her about the extravagant bills," he said, "telling her my business wasn't paying well. She answered that she didn't have any interest in my affairs in business or socially. I was forced to limit her expenses at stores where she traded."

Mrs. Clara B. Jelke, divorced wife of Ferdinand F. Jelke, son of the butterine manufacturer, was granted $100 a month alimony by Judge Gridley. She also was given the custody of her 2 year old son with the provision that the father and grandparents be allowed to see the child one day a week.

WONDERS IF HEAVEN IS "TOLL."

Suicide's Letter Says if It Takes Money to Get There He Is in Straits.

"I wonder if it takes any money to get into heaven. If it does I'm up against it."

This was part of a letter left by a man believed to have been J. Lyon, about 40 years old, who committed suicide in Douglas park Jan. 5 by shooting himself in the head with a revolver. The body was taken to undertaking rooms at 1133 South California avenue, and is still unidentified. The letter was found in the victim's clothing and was signed "J. Lyon." It was turned over to the coroner's attaches yesterday.

FALLING GLASS KILLS MAN.

Drops Four Stories, Striking Passerby on the Head and Fracturing His Skull—Dies in Five Hours.

William Steen, 1540 Ogden avenue, a pedestrian, was injured fatally yesterday when a piece of glass, falling from a four story building at Madison and Curtis streets, struck him on the head, fracturing his skull. He died at the West Side hospital.

Wife of Candy Manufacturer's Son Who Figures in a Divorce Report.

MRS. BURNELL GUNTHER.

HAZEL DANNER ACCUSES SEE

Missing Girl Is Found and Will Testify Against Cult Leader.

CONFESSES TO HER FATHER.

Two Other Young Women Followers of the "Revealer" Disappear.

Attorney John F. Rosen went to Lafayette, Ind., yesterday and found Hazel Danner, the missing witness against Evelyn Arthur See, "revealer of the absolute life," and will bring her back to testify against the leader of the cult next Tuesday. Miss Danner is the 17 year old daughter of George E. Danner. She disappeared last Sunday after confessing to her father her relations with See.

Mrs. Stephen H. Bridges is held equally responsible with See in holding the Danner girl in the "temple" at 2541 Racine avenue, and is named as codefendant with See in a $50,000 damage action Danner brought on Wednesday.

Attorney Rosen and Danner believe an agent of See induced Hazel to go into seclusion for the purpose of weakening the prosecution. According to Attorney Rosen she refused to discuss this feature of the case, but promised to appear in court and testify to the facts she revealed to her father.

Mysterious Girl Aids Lawyer.

The lawyer was assisted in his search by a Chicago young woman whose name is not disclosed. She registered at a Lafayette hotel under the name of Miss C. Jones. It is said she furnished clews to other young girls who had been receiving their training under See, and it is likely that two or three of these will corroborate her testimony.

"I have every reason to believe Mrs. Bridges knew exactly what was going on in the temple," said Attorney Rosen. "When Hazel saw the error of her ways she prepared to leave, but Mrs. Bridges induced her to stay.

"The girl who led me to where Hazel was knows of others who were associated with See. It may be that several of these may show up in court. Hazel's father is now in Frankfort, Ind., but will be in Chicago tomorrow. Hazel will stay with friends until she is needed in court. I believe See made special trips to Lafayette to solicit girls for his cult."

See admitted knowing Hazel Danner and Lillian Jarce, another former member of the cult, whom Attorney Rosen and the police are trying to find, but refused to discuss their connection with the "absolute life."

Two Other Girls Sought.

Mrs. Minnie Peterson, who lives at 1320 Wells street, asked the police to search for her daughter, Ella, who is 24 years old. Mrs. Peterson said her daughter left home with a man who talked often of some strange religion. She believes the man is See, but she could not identify him in jail. She said her husband left home some time ago with a woman named Jarce and she is seeking further information about the disappearance of Lillian Jarce.

Mrs. Josephine Wallace of 3611 Flournoy street asked the police to search for her daughter, Vernie, who is 17 years old.

"Vernie may have left home to join the See cult," she said.

The hearing of the charges against Mildred Bridges came up in the Juvenile court before Judge Pinckney in the afternoon, and the case was continued until Feb. 24, at the request of attorneys for the defense. Judge Pinckney appointed a committee of three to guard the girl until the case is disposed of.

FAILS TO GO ON MURDER EVE

Owner Doesn't Keep Appointment with Saloonkeeper.

VICTIM ONCE SHORT IN CASH.

Brother Thinks Dead Man Mistaken by Slayer for Another.

John S. Level, president of the Chicago Stockyards and Transit company, a meat packing concern, was the chief witness yesterday at the inquest to determine the cause of death of W. B. Eadie, a saloonkeeper, shot on the night of Dec. 27.

Eadie was at his place of business, West Thirty-ninth street and South Forty-eighth avenue, in what is known as Stickney, when an assassin fired a shot gun through a window at him.

At the inquest it developed that Eadie had been short in his accounts $1,500 since July and that Level owned the saloon where the shooting took place.

Verdict Charges Murder.

The coroner's jury returned a verdict that Eadie had been murdered and recommended that his murderer be found and arrested.

Level's testimony brought out that he lived at the Metropole hotel, but had been in the habit of spending much of his time at the saloon and frequently took his meals with Eadie.

When asked why he retained Eadie in his employ after he discovered the saloonkeeper was short in his accounts he returned an evasive reply.

It was shown that Eadie had property worth $1,800, but when pressed as to why he had not tried to make Eadie make good his shortage he again refused to reply.

Thinks Identity Was Mistaken.

Charles Eadie, a brother of the dead man, said he believed the case to be one of mistaken identity.

"That day I was out of the city," he said. "Contrary to his usual custom, Level did not appear the next morning for the breakfast my brother had prepared for him, but he called on the telephone and said that he would be at the saloon later in the day."

Level said that he did not keep this appointment. He was in his room at the Metropole hotel last night, but said he could add nothing to his testimony before the jury.

NEWSBOYS ASSIST IN SEARCH FOR A MISSING YOUNG MAN.

Friends of Restaurant Proprietor Believe That He May Have Gone to Some Secluded Monastery.

One hundred dollars reward has been offered by Mrs. M. K. Karsa for information concerning the whereabouts of her son, Charles Karsa, 19 years old, who has been missing since last Sunday afternoon. The mother of the boy is in a serious condition as a result of his disappearance.

Some of Karsa's friends believe he may have gone to some secluded monastery. He was one of the proprietors of the Newsboys restaurant and squads of newsboys are assisting detectives in the search for him.

That Karsa contemplated leaving his residence at 367 Fifth avenue was shown by a note which he left at the time of his disappearance. The note stated that the holder of the key to a safety deposit box might have charge of funds amounting to $6,450, which he had saved.

GIRL TRICKS MEN TO PAY GAMBLER

Advertises Herself Falsely for Marriage and "Borrows" Money from Fiances.

PLAYS MARKETS WITH IT.

Government Seizes Former State Street Shop Worker and Man for Misusing Mails.

Four dupes, all whom expected to get something for little or nothing, appeared with sheepish faces yesterday afternoon before United States Court Commissioner Foote.

There were two men who were duped by a woman, who in turn was duped by a man, who in his turn was duped by the mercurial temper of the market on La Salle street.

The dupe quartet was made up as follows:

Richard Seifert, a young German carpenter, 115 West Ontario street, who answered a matrimonial advertisement in a German paper and expected to get a bride and a $60,000 farm for the asking.

Richard Michel, a German tanner from Kenosha, Wis., who answered the same advertisement.

Miss Eleanor Rembrandt, 27 years old, also German, who wrote the advertisements and borrowed a few hundred dollars from Seifert and Michel on the security of the farms.

Louis A. Steinbrook, who borrowed from Miss Rembrandt most or all the money which she obtained from her prospective husbands and invested it in margins on the open board of trade, according to the police.

Man and Woman Go to Jail.

Steinbrook and Miss Rembrandt were arraigned before Commissioner Foote on the charge of using the United States mail to defraud. Both waived examination and were held over to the federal grand jury under bail which neither was able to give.

Miss Rembrandt was employed in a State street department store until a few months ago.

She told United States Deputy Marshals Wainwright and Griffith that Steinbrook made her acquaintance on an elevated road platform in the loop when she was living on Kedzie avenue. She said that he was waiting for her on the elevated platform the next morning.

"We became friends," she said, "and he induced me to move over to the house where he was living, 859 West Garfield boulevard, where we lived until arrested. I gave him all the money which I borrowed from the men that I promised to marry, and often I had not enough money to buy food."

To Wed to Repair Fortunes.

Michel, one of the victims, is 40 years old and lives with his aged mother in Kenosha. He said he had met with several misfortunes during the last few years, and that he wanted to get married because his mother was becoming feeble and nearly blind.

Seifert, who has been in America for only two years, met Miss Rembrandt in October after he had answered her matrimonial advertisement. The two met at the Plaza hotel, where he declares Miss Rembrandt told him she was a wealthy widow in need of a husband to take care of a lot of money.

Seifert loaned Miss Rembrandt $170 and bought her some clothes and a few trinkets.

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HONOR HARAHAN ON 70TH BIRTHDAY

Railroad Men at Farewell Banquet Pay Tribute to Retiring President.

TELLS OF LIFE WITH I. C.

Regrets Treachery of Men He Trained for Years, He Says of Graft Scandal.

James T. Harahan, who yesterday gave way to Charles H. Markham as president of the Illinois Central railroad after twenty years as an officer of the company, was the guest at a dinner in the evening at the Blackstone hotel.

One hundred and twenty-five railroad executives and business men were present. Mr. Harahan's retirement was coincident with his seventieth birthday.

Men with whom Mr. Harahan has been associated as clerk, conductor, roadmaster, superintendent, general manager, vice president, and president—a service extending over fifty years in all—were the speakers. Vice President W. L. Park presided as toastmaster.

In his farewell address Mr. Harahan outlined the development of the Illinois Central system and gave a parting warning of the need for a closer cooperation between the railroads and the public if the transportation system of the country is to be improved. Then for the first time he publicly discussed the graft scandal that marked the last years of his period of office.

Talks of Graft Scandal.

"It is my deepest regret," he said, "that anything should have occurred during my administration to warrant criticism of the managemnet of the Illinois Central. While betrayal of any position of honor and responsibility is much to be deplored, the particular feature of this whole matter which has caused me pain is the treachery to me of men I trained and educated, some of them for over thirty years, and whom I caused to be placed in the positions they occupied.

"I feel, however, that no man could have foreseen the irregularities and the schemes employed to put them into effect or have discovered them any earlier than they were discovered. Strong influences were brought to bear to cause us to discontinue the investigation, but these were of no avail and no stone was left unturned to punish the guilty parties, and I know my action in this respect has the approval of all my friends."

Mr. Harahan also referred to his election after the Fish-Harriman controversy. He said:

"I can never fail to appreciate how you men of Chicago and the west stood by me when the memorable fight for the control of the Illinois Central hung in the balance four years ago. The policy promised you then by Mr. Harriman and myself—to serve the people—I have endeavored earnestly to maintain.

Changes in Railroad Work.

"When I came to the Illinois Central in 1890 the mileage was 2,875 miles; today it is 8,015. In 1890 we owned 473 locomotives and 14,000 freight cars. At present we operate nearly 1,500 locomotives and over 64,000 freight cars. Twenty years ago our fastest passenger schedule was thirty-five hours from Chicago to New Orleans; now it is twenty-five hours and fifteen minutes.

"Possibly the greatest change in conditions between the days of my first railroad experience and the present time is the attitude of the public and the authorities, state and federal. In the early days communities welcomed the extension of railroad systems. Bonuses and right of way were given freely.

"The threatened adverse legislation of more recent years has had a deterrent effect on the investment of capital in railroad enterprises. The result has been that in the first ten years of the current century railroad building, save in the west, has been almost insignificant."

Mr. Markham spoke briefly.

"This seems to me an occasion," he said, "on which I may better be seen and not heard. Mr. Harahan's retirement means a loss to the railway service of one of its most active, able, and competent members. I only hope that when my time comes I may be able to make way for my successor under as pleasant circumstances as these."

OBITUARY.

LORENZO PRATT died yesterday at the residence of his son, Rodney K. Pratt, 4204 Lake avenue. Mr. Pratt, who was 84 years old, was born in Cambridge, N. Y., and removed to Chicago in 1871. He at once engaged in the real estate and mining business and did not retire until two months ago. His wife was Cornelia Carl Pratt, who died seven years ago. Surviving him are the following children: Clayton A. Pratt of Omaha, Mrs. Foster C. Phelps of Waukesha, Wis., and Rodney K. Pratt of Chicago. The funeral will be held tomorrow. Interment will be at Peoria, Ill.

FRANKLIN L. SHEPHERD died yesterday at Elgin. He was born in New Berlin, N. Y., in 1845. He engaged in dairy farming in Kane county for twenty-five years and then moved to Elgin, where he engaged in several commercial ventures. He organized the Elgin Combination Wagon Box company. He left a widow and two daughters, Mrs. Enos Holt and Mrs. John B. Newman, wife of the state pure food inspector, and one son, State Representative Frank W. Shepherd.

MRS. EMILY WARNER HALE, widow of William F. Hale, died yesterday at the residence of her son, Harry J. Hale, 3080 Calumet avenue. Death resulted from heart disease from which she had suffered for the last six months. She was 76 years of age. Mrs. Hale had been a resident of Chicago for half a century. Her husband, who died in 1888, was well known among contractors. Mrs. Hale is survived by two children, Harry J. Hale and Mrs. Charles F. Whitcomb.

MRS. JEANETTE N. SAYLOR, who was the first white woman born in Winnebago county, Ill., died Tuesday afternoon. She resided at New Middleford until 1868, when she removed to Chicago. A son, John N. Saylor, who is connected with an afternoon newspaper, and a daughter, Mrs. Mary Ryan, are the survivors.

MONTAGU SAMUEL-MONTAGU, the first Baron Swaythling, is dead in London. He was 78 years old and was the son of the late Louis Samuel, a watchmaker of Liverpool. For more than fifty years he conducted business in London and until September, 1900, was head of the banking firm of Samuel Montagu & Co.

SURGEON GENERAL WILLIAM GRIER, one of the oldest officers in the navy, is dead at Washington. He had the relative rank of commodore at the time of his death, which occurred when he was in the ninety-fifth year of his age.

MRS. JULIA ENDERIS, widow of Henry Enderis, a former resident of Chicago, died in Milwaukee yesterday. Burial will be at Graceland at 2 p. m. tomorrow.

SOPHIE REICHMANN, wife of Dr. Max Reichmann, 1318 Newport avenue, died Jan. 12 after a prolonged illness. She is survived by her husband and two daughters.

"WETS" PLAY WAITING GAME

Will Indorse No Candidate for Mayor Until After Primaries.

RUMOR STIRS CERMAK'S IRE.

Traeger Declines Invitation to Enter Race for Treasurer.

The United Societies executive committee last night put a snuffer on the plan to indorse any candidate for mayor in advance of the primaries next month. This attitude was determined with an especial eye to the reports that one wing of the organization intended to ask the political action committee, which will meet tomorrow afternoon, to give official support to Andrew J. Graham.

Should such a move be attempted in the political action committee it will be subject to review by the executive committee before it can bind the United Societies as a whole. However, the declarations of Secretary A. J. Cermak indicated that the personal liberty organization will take no side in the fight at either the Democratic or Republican primaries.

Although the session of the executive committee was short, it was full of loud and accusing oratory. Secretary Cermak was excited by published stories regarding the factional strife in which he appeared as leader of one wing favorable to an indorsement for Graham, while President Charles Kellermann, Treasurer Herman Bauler, and others were listed as friendly to Carter H. Harrison, and, with the support of Edward F. Dunne's friends, opposed to any action before the primaries.

Cermak Angry at "Informer."

"It was printed this morning," said Mr. Cermak, "that I have been trying to force through an indorsement of Andrew J. Graham for mayor. I have not been trying to do any such thing. Who has been giving out the secrets of the United Societies?" He may be seated in this hall at this moment. I believe I know who he is, and you may have an idea.

"Now is the time to run down this specific act. It is not the first time that our secrets have been made public. Let us locate the source of the leaks."

Following this meeting, many of the members went to the Bismarck hotel, where the German-American Citizens' alliance was merged with the German-American Carter H. Harrison club, under the name of the latter organization. John E. Traeger, who had been elected president of the alliance the previous evening, and who becomes president of the combined clubs, was not present because of illness.

Honor Declined by Traeger.

The committee appointed to wait on him and ask him to run at the Democratic primaries for city treasurer reported that Mr. Traeger had been compelled to decline because of business reasons and the state of his health. While unable to enter a heated campaign as a candidate, he said the doctors would permit him to take an interest in behalf of Mr. Harrison—provided he then spent three months at Carlsbad.

A campaign committee of two from each ward was authorized and all but seven of the city's wards named their representatives. Four headquarters—one downtown and one in each of the city's three divisions—will be opened. Resolutions adopted refer to "astounding graft disclosures," declared against "experimental candidates running on platforms of prodigious promises," and indorsed Harrison as a man "who had absorbed German ideas while a student at Heidelberg." A delegation will tell him about it this afternoon.

"FATHER HUGH" CREVIER DEAD.

Rector of St. Phillips High School Fails to Recover After an Operation.

The Rev. Hugh Crevier, rector of St. Phillips High school and for many years pastor of the Church of Our Lady of Sorrows, died yesterday at the St. Anthony de Padua hospital. Several weeks ago he was taken to the hospital to undergo an operation for cancer.

Surgeons at first thought he was making a satisfactory recovery, but his condition grew critical and announcements of improvement were followed by reports of relapses.

Father Crevier was born in 1862 at Three Rivers, Wis. In 1878 he came to Chicago to make his home with the Servite fathers. After twenty years of service he was made a provincial of the American branch of the order. In 1908 he was made head of St. Phillips High school. He was affectionately known as "Father Hugh." A requiem high mass will be celebrated at the Church of Our Lady of Sorrows at 10 o'clock tomorrow.

MAYORALTY FIGHT TO COST $500,000?

Graham, Harrison, and Dunne Campaigns Prove Expensive, It Is Said.

"WAR CHESTS" FILLED.

Finance Committees Called On for Trojan Work; Heavy Billboard Bills.

Mayoralty strife on the Democratic side reached the "money" stage yesterday, and reports of extraordinary expenditures, exceeding by far anything ever known in previous Chicago campaigns, were current at the headquarters of the three candidates. What were considered conservative estimates placed at "more than $500,000" the total cost of the Graham, Harrison, and Dunne campaigns, while former Mayor Carter H. Harrison declared that this sum would be spent for Andrew J. Graham alone.

This statement was drawn by a query as to how much money had been raised by the Harrison central committee of 105, in session for two hours at the Briggs house, with every ward represented by three men.

"A finance committee was appointed," replied Mr. Harrison, "but that was the closest approach to the mention of money or a campaign fund. I won't need as much as Mr. Graham. You have heard, I suppose, of the cash raised on his behalf?"

A bystander said it was reported that $200,000 was the sum, or a little less than $200 for each precinct.

"Pshaw!" replied Mr. Harrison. "They had that much raised two months ago. Not a cent less than $500,000 will be spent in his campaign."

Graham Publicity Bills.

A basis for the Harrison estimate of a $500,000 Graham fund was found in the printing and lithographing contracts said to have been given the company that does most of the "big poster" work in campaigns. This concern, according to a representative, has contracted to deliver 6,000 sixteen-sheets for billboards, 5,000 eight-sheets, and 3,000 four-sheets, being a total of 148,000 sheets, to cover billboards for eight weeks.

The cost of the billboard space, at 5 cents a week for each sheet, comes to $79,200, and the actual printing, at 4 cents a sheet, adds nearly $8,000. In addition there have been ordered 300,000 Graham lithographs at a cost of 2 cents each, amounting to $6,000. These items foot up $93,120, and other printed matter will bring the cost of this publicity end, it is said, to at least $100,000.

At $100 a precinct for workers and other expenses primary day, the outlay would be $132,200.

Harrison Finance Committee.

The following finance committee to raise funds for Harrison was announced after the meeting of his campaign committee and it was said they expected to raise "more than $100,000":

James F. Bowers, treasurer of Lyon and Healy, chairman; Oscar F. Mayer, Adam Ortseifen, Samuel Franklin, A. G. Wackenreuter, James S. Agar, John E. Traeger, Simon Fish, John Z. Vogelsang, Michael E. Byrne, John W. Lowe, Edward Tilden, Fritz Goetz, D. M. Pfaelzer, and Peter Reinberg.

While less money will be spent in the Dunne campaign than by either of his rivals, he has a respectable fund of "about $50,000," according to reports.

BUSSE TO STAY IN POLITICS.

Says He Also Will Return to Coal Business—Announcement on Candidacy Soon.

Mayor Busse, commenting yesterday upon a report that he was planning to return to the coal business, said it was correct, but that it was not an indication of his future political course.

"I intend to remain in politics," he said, "but whether I will be a candidate for a second term as mayor will not be known until Feb. 1. About that date at my office I will give out a statement declaring my intention. Until then no one will know what I am going to do."

Headquarters of the Young Men's Merriam club were opened in parlor F of the Grand Pacific hotel, with Donald B. McLaury in charge. The candidate worked on his platform, which probably will not be made public this week.

A report was circulated that Chauncey Dewey would be with Mr. Merriam. However, Mr. Dewey is on his way to Europe and may not return before the primaries.

CAMPAIGN SNAP TO GRAHAM

Says Race for Mayor Is First Vacation in 35 Years.

TELLS OF SOME HOBBIES.

Wants More Electric Lights; Would Regulate Utilities.

Andrew J. Graham thinks that running for the Democratic mayoralty nomination is a vacation. He told the 300 precinct captains and other workers of the Thirteenth and Fourteenth wards at the La Salle hotel last night that this is the first vacation he has had in thirty-five years.

"I've been working hard for thirty-five years, and I thought it was about time to take a vacation, so I consented to run for mayor," he said. "This is the first real vacation I have had since I went into business as a small boy."

He said he would talk about himself during the campaign.

Cites His Business Experience.

"I think I'm especially fitted for this position of mayor," he continued. "I've had thirty-five years of business experience, and it seems to me that it will be a pretty small job to run the city.

"I am not saying that the city's business is not a big one, but I am used to running a big business. I have a lot of hobbies about this mayoralty position that I'd like to put into execution. In the first place, if I am mayor my door will be open to all citizens at all times, and I'll stay there as long as there is any one waiting to see me.

"I am fond of electric lights, and I want to do away with these gas and gasoline lamps and put an electric light at every street corner and at the corner of every alley. A well lighted city is of as much importance as a well policed city.

"Another thing that I want to do is to regulate the price of all public utilities. I don't believe in picking out any one special utility and making a campaign on that. I don't propose to bunko the people just for campaign purposes. I want to see the price of gas, electric light, and telephone service regulated, and I'll do everything in my power to regulate the rates, but I won't promise to bankrupt the companies.

"The city has been at great expense to find out what is a fair price for gas. Let's use the information we have rather than to fix an arbitrary price which may or may not be right. I'll not tell any one that I will do this or that unless it is based on reason."

Sullivan Praises Candidate.

The meeting was presided over by John McCarthy, chairman of the county central committee. Roger Sullivan was there, and spoke briefly, urging the precinct captains to a thorough organization.

"I challenge any man to point to one single constructive thing that either of these other candidates has ever done," he said.

"Here is one thing you can gamble on: Mr. Graham will not bunko the people. There is too much of that sort of thing going on now. It seems to be the aim of many men who occupy high positions or who aspire to those positions, to try and mislead and throw dust in the eyes of the other fellow all he can."

Graham received the unanimous indorsement of the regular Second ward Democratic organization at a meeting held in Arlington hall last night. Judge James P. Martin presided and Attorney Everett Jennings was the principal speaker.

Over 200 members attended a meeting of the Fourth Ward West End Graham-Stuckart-Daley club, which was held at the club's headquarters, 2971 Archer avenue, in the evening. At the meeting resolutions were passed supporting the Graham ticket for the primary election.

NAVAL VETERANS RECALL WARS.

Quarterly Dinner of Association at the Palmer House Renews Many Old Acquaintances.

Stories of wars in which the United States had been implicated were told and old acquaintances were renewed at the quarterly dinner last night of the Naval Veterans' association at the Palmer house.

ZIMMER TO NAME STAFF TODAY.

Sheriff to Announce Appointments, Which, It Is Said, Recognize All Democratic Factions.

Sheriff Zimmer will announce more than 100 appointments today. The apportionment, it is said, recognizes all factions of the Democratic party, although he has declared for Harrison. The election board has set Feb. 8 as the one day for registration by affidavit.

TURN DOWN CHIEF; KEEP POLICEMEN

Members of Trial Board Refuse to Retire Ten Steward Finds Unfit.

ONLY TWO DISCHARGED.

Bluecoats' Own Doctors Testify and Win Out Against the City Physicians.

Chief Steward's plan for retiring superannuated policemen received from the civil service trial board yesterday what was considered a severe blow.

In ten out of twelve cases brought by the chief after his examining physicians had reported the defendants physically unfit for duty the board brought in verdicts of "no case." In other words, only two of the twelve the chief presented were discharged.

Col. Steward appeared only as a witness, and when the result was told him he refused to comment on it. It was reported that he regarded the rulings such a setback to his plan that he will refrain from bringing any further charges of physical unfitness except in extreme cases.

Men Produce Own Doctors.

The board was composed of Commissioners McKinley and Fargo and Attorney Howard O. Sprogle, counsel. In every case the chief testified that he had summoned the defendant for medical and physical examination because the records showed him more than 50 years old, that Dr. Murray and Dr. Olson of the health department found him unfit for duty and he had been given the choice of resigning or defending his case before the board. The physicians presented records of their examinations. In most instances the defendants called their private physicians as witnesses.

"While figuring on the mortuary tables is a good basis for fixing a man's bodily condition," said Commissioner McKinley, "the board was convinced that because a man is not a good insurance risk, he is not unfit for police duty. A man might be twenty pounds overweight in the eyes of an insurance man, but he might still be fit for work as a policeman. We were convinced that these men can go on with the work they have been doing every day, some of them for twenty or thirty years."

The patrolmen discharged were James J. Fitzgerald, a member of the department since 1882, and Thomas Moran, who enlisted in 1885.

List of "No Case" Verdicts.

The men in whose case verdicts of "no case" were returned with the dates of their enlistments are: James J. Adamson, central detail, 1882; John Becvar, new city, 1886; Fred Brown, South Chicago, 1895; Patrick Casey, North Halsted street, 1881; Thomas Halley, Canalport avenue, 1883; Thomas Murphy, Desplaines street, 1890; Andrew O'Day, Desplaines street, 1883; Kyron Phelan, central detail, 1889; John J. Sheehan, Sheffield avenue, 1888; David Sullivan, West Lake street, 1885.

Murphy, the oldest, with forty-one years of service, is assigned to the Randolph street market. A delegation of business men urged his retention.

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Complete Assortment of Genuine American Northern and Eastern Mink Shawls, Neck Pieces and Muffs, retail price, $50 to $200; our price, $90 to $20

Black Marten Shawls and Muffs, retail price, $75 to $100; our price, $45 to $30

Black Fox Shawls and Muffs, retail price, $50 to $75; our price, $30 to..... $15

Jap and River Mink (Collars and Muffs) to retail from $10 to $50; our price, $20 to..... $5

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The government of India finds ... difficult position and I do not ... could be otherwise. To begin w... changing government. One vic... cedes another with about the ... which marks rotation in our White... the second place, it has at least thr... home constituencies to please. It m... India's policy in accordance with w... to be the broadest interests of t... empire, which means that it must ... its defenses, to protect British i... Asia. Its army must be prepared ... gencies which may arise outside o... must regulate the economic situa... dia so as to conflict as little as po... the great manufacturing and comm... terests of England.

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Again the government of India, ... out the interference of conflicting ... terests, is confronted with a gigan... lem. It is hard for us to realize ... nature of this problem. We have ... interests, the east and the west, ... and the south, and various interes... from those of unorganized labor to ... But, as compared with India, the ... the United States are homogeneo... about the same plane of culture ... the same religion, or perhaps I ... with religions which do not interfe... ters of state, which in doctrine ... conflicting as to make for disor... But multiply by ten every disco... ment in the United States, by on... some of these elements, and yo... realize the task that confronts t... ment of India.

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A certain kind of progress, the ... electricity kind, has developed ... in recent years. Its development ... phenomenal. Out of this develop... conquest, power not before dream... east has become conscious of th... slowly swings into line because f... self-preservation. Japan took ... China slowly gathers momentum. ... heard the call. It is interesting b... natural that the leaders of di... India today, the most rabid of th... have drunk deepest at the found... learning.

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Shah's Envoy at Washingt... Story That His Nation ... America's Aid.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 12.—Mi... Khan, chargé d'affaires of the Pe... tion, today issued an official ... story widely circulated yesterd... effect that an appeal from the P... ernment to the American people ... New York and had been given o... Topakqan, the Persian consul ge... "I read the dispatch," said ... "and I can state that my gove... addressed no such appeal, and ... statements made in the dispatch ... tions in Persia are inaccurate a... ated.

"The references in the press di... appeal being signed by the pres... council and to an American ... sought are untrue."

BUILD CHINESE SHIP

New York Company Has Co... Cruiser to Cost Over On... lion Dollars.

New York, Jan. 12.—[Special.] ... York Shipbuilding company of ... J., builders of the dreadnought ... Arkansas, has the contract for t... of the first Chinese man-o'-wa... down in this country. The ship ... cruiser of the second class, to cos... over a million, and the Bethl... company will supply the guns ... The news of this fact, which ha... secret by the shipbuilding compan... day from Japan.

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Left to itself, freed of the clangor of extreme Liberals and Socialists in the English parliament and the demands of English exporters, it would evolve a government for India which would be economically sound, progressive, and based on principles of evolution, free from revolution.

The government of India finds itself in a difficult position and I do not see how it could be otherwise. To begin with, it is a changing government. One viceroy succeeds another with about the frequency which marks rotation in our White House. In the second place, it has at least three distinct home constituencies to please. It must direct India's policy in accordance with what seems to be the broadest interests of the British empire, which means that it must look after its defenses, to protect British interests in Asia. Its army must be prepared for emergencies which may arise outside of India. It must regulate the economic situation in India so as to conflict as little as possible with the great manufacturing and commercial interests of England.

Subject to Attacks at Home.

And it is always subject to attacks, often senseless though usually well meant, by parliamentarians like Keir Hardie, Sir Henry Cotton, and Mr. O'Donnell, who would give to India the sort of government that it neither wants nor demands; their views are abhorrent to the civil, military, and commercial interests of India and receive no support except from professional agitators. This third class is perhaps the most dangerous enemy today of the government of India.

Again the government of India, even without the interference of conflicting home interests, is confronted with a gigantic problem. It is hard for us to realize the true nature of this problem. We have conflicting interests, the east and the west, the north and the south, and various interests ranging from those of unorganized labor to the trusts. But, as compared with India, the people of the United States are homogeneous, all on about the same plane of culture and with the same religion, or perhaps I should say with religions which do not interfere in matters of state, which in doctrine are not so conflicting as to make for disorganization. But multiply by ten every discordant element in the United States, by one hundred some of these elements, and you begin to realize the task that confronts the government of India.

Where India Is Different.

There is untold capacity here; infinite strength. The greatest single difference between the people of India and those of the United States today can be summed up in the one word, desire. The Indian is contented with less. Habit, tradition, caste all go to make him willing to put up with what has gone before.

The introduction of steam literally opened up the world. Every additional mile, every additional knot per hour of railroad or steamship diminished the size of the earth by just so much. Every man who learns to read subtracts one from the primitive and adds one to the cultured class which has in its hands power because of the knowledge which comes from the ability to substitute news for gossip and tradition.

There are still people in the world who have not heard a ship's siren or the shriek of a locomotive, who are yet unconscious of the existence of the three R's. But the lines about such contract. Each year their number grows smaller.

All in all, Europe is more indebted to Asia than Asia to Europe. The really great and fundamental stages of progress and the development of culture came out of the east.

East Long Sufficient to Self.

We are inclined to forget or to overlook the fact that for ages the east has been sufficient unto itself. It has had its own letters, literature, and art. It developed commerce and industries. It evolved social conditions which permit hundreds of millions of human beings to live in peace, contentment, and happiness. It produced nations which were efficacious.

A certain kind of progress, the steam and electricity kind, has developed in the west in recent years. Its development has been phenomenal. Out of this development grew conquest, power not before dreamed of. The east has become conscious of the fact, and slowly swings into line because forced to for self-preservation. Japan took the lead. China slowly gathers momentum. India has heard the call. It is interesting but perfectly natural that the leaders of discontent in India today, the most rabid of the agitators, have drunk deepest at the fount of western learning.

Society Woman Who Saves Residence by Forming Servant Fire Brigade.

MRS ARTHUR MEEKER

VETO'S PREAMBLE MUST GO

So Say Laborites of Britain to the Dominant Party.

PRICE OF THEIR SUPPORT.

Single Chamber Only Favored by Those Issuing Ultimatum.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

LONDON, Jan. 12.—The Labor party has fixed the price for its support of the government during the coming session of parliament. Chairman Barnes announces in an article in a Radical newspaper that the primary condition is that the government must abandon the preamble to the lords' veto bill, at the behest of the Laborites, or abide by the consequences.

The preamble, of which nothing has been heard during the discussion of the veto resolutions, and which appeared only when the bill was printed, says:

"Whereas, It is intended to substitute for the house of lords as it at present exists a second chamber constituted on a popular instead of an hereditary basis, but such substitution cannot immediately be brought into operation."

Denounces Preamble as Foolish.

Mr. Barnes denounces this as foolish and unnecessary. He declares the Laborites, as well as every Radical worth his salt, will vote against the preamble, and, if the Tories, being opposed to the whole bill, go into the same lobby the bill will pass only without the preamble.

As is well known, the Laborites are in favor of a single chamber, and so have no use for the house of lords, reformed or unreformed. Mr. Barnes contends that the recent election decisively rejected reform and, therefore, the preamble must go.

Hopes for Open Question.

He hopes the current rumor is true that the government, when it introduces the bill, will leave the preamble an open question, allowing its followers freedom of discussion on this point.

"In this way" Mr. Barnes declares, "the government's path will be much more secure."

He holds that merging reform and veto might mean another election.

MRS. MEEKER FIRE HEROINE; FORMS SERVANT BRIGADE.

Has Flames in House Under Control When Firemen Arrive—Electric Iron Causes Blaze.

An electric clothes iron left standing on a trunk in the maid's room at the Arthur Meeker residence, 1815 Prairie avenue, started a fire yesterday afternoon which but for the prompt action of Mrs. Meeker in organizing the servants into a fire brigade would have resulted in a serious blaze.

The iron burned a hole in the top of the trunk and set fire to the contents. Smoke drifted down the stairway and attracted the attention of Mrs. Meeker. Servants began an investigation. Mrs. Meeker turned in an alarm and then directed the servants to throw water into the room where the fire had started.

When the fire department arrived the flames practically were under control. The loss was confined to the damage by water and injury to the contents of the trunk.

"I was not much frightened," said Mrs. Meeker, "but I knew that what was done had to be done quickly. The servants were a little excited and we all felt more nervous about it after it was over than while it was going on."

German Steamer Aground.

BREMERHAVEN, Germany, Jan. 12.—The German steamer Maria Russ, from Hamburg for Nantes, went aground near Norderney lightship last night. Twelve of the crew were drowned.

AGREEMENT ENDS FISHERIES ISSUE

Dominion and Newfoundland Will Make Concessions to the United States.

EXPERTS NOT NEEDED.

Commissioners Do Away with Possible Reference to The Hague Tribunal.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 12.—The commissioners for the United States and Canada who have been considering the fishery regulations have reached a decision.

The Canadian and New Foundland governments undertake to change the existing regulations to remove the objections of the United States, thus making it unnecessary to call upon the board of experts.

Formal Statement Is Issued.

The formal statement of the outcome, issued at the state department tonight, is as follows:

"As a result of these conferences, an understanding was reached that, instead of calling upon the commission of experts appointed under the award to determine the reasonableness of certain existing fisheries regulations to which the United States had objected, the Canadian and New Foundland governments will proceed voluntarily to make such changes in the existing regulations as are necessary to remove the objections of the United States.

"The effect of this arrangement is to make it unnecessary to reassemble the (Hague) tribunal to act upon the report of the experts and eliminates any further proceedings at The Hague.

Mixed Commission to Decide.

"All differences which may arise in the future as to these or any future regulations which cannot be disposed of by diplomatic negotiations will be referred to the permanent mixed fisheries commission to be established in accordance with the recommendations of the award."

The regulations thus to be modified are understood to refer to the use of purse seins, Sunday fishing, right of search, and like subjects.

Grave objections were raised in the senate to the lakes fisheries treaty negotiated by David Starr Jordan, representing the United States, and Commissioner Prince, representing Canada. Senator Smith of Michigan opposed the ratification of the treaty, advancing the contentions of Saginaw bay fishermen that the size of mesh prescribed for nets was so large that their industry would be destroyed.

At the dinner given by the president to the Canadian officials last night the fishing treaty was discussed, and Senator Smith arranged for the conference today. This plan proposes the creation of a Lake Huron zone exempt from the operation of the treaty.

AMERICAN ARRESTED IN PARIS.

Charged with Attempt to Steal Pearl Necklace Valued at Fifty-five Thousand Dollars.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

PARIS, Jan. 12.—An American named Weston, alias Albert Cripps, has been arrested at the Grand hotel, charged with attempting to steal a pearl necklace valued at $55,000, which, it is alleged, he ordered Van Vorzeux of Rue de la Paix to send to the hotel for inspection. When it arrived he told the messenger he wished to take it to another room to show it to his wife. The messenger refused to agree to this, whereupon Cripps, it is alleged, threatened him with a revolver. A struggle ensued which aroused the hotel and Cripps was taken into custody.

Servant Tries to Kill Author.

VIBORG, Jan. 12.—An attempt was made last night upon the life of Leonide Andreeff, an author of the Gorky school, by a servant employed in his house, who fired a revolver at the writer, but missed him.

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FIRE UPON BOMBAY RIOTERS

Troops Kill Eleven Persons and Fourteen Are Wounded.

STONES THROWN AT POLICE.

Outbreak Marks Mohammedan Celebration.

BOMBAY, Jan. 12.—Troops called out today to quell a riot fired several volleys into the crowds, killing eleven and wounding fourteen persons.

Each year riots mark the celebration of the Muharram, the first month of the Mohammedan year, when trouble is bound to arise between the Sunnites, or orthodox section, and the Shiahs, the second great division of Mohammedans.

A procession was arranged for today to mark the close of the Muharram festival, but this was prohibited by the police. Rioting began and mobs gathered in large force. The police were stoned and found themselves unable to stop the fighting.

Then troops were rushed to the scene of the fiercest rioting and orders were given to fire on the mobs. It is probable many received minor wounds in addition to the fourteen accounted for.

The bodies of the slain lay in the streets a considerable time after the rioters were dispersed.

KING GEORGE'S CORONATION TO EXCEL THAT OF EDWARD.

Executive Committee in London Completes Tentative Arrangements for the Processions and Festivities.

LONDON, Jan. 12.—The executive committee having in charge the plans relative to the coronation of King George, met today and completed tentative arrangements, which will, if anything, be on a more extensive scale than at the time of King Edward's coronation.

The route of the procession to Westminster abbey on June 22 will be the same as on the last occasion, and the royal progress through the capital after the ceremony, which was postponed in Edward's time owing to the king's delicate health, will take place on June 23.

Still another royal procession to the Guildhall for the corporation entertainment has been arranged for a subsequent day.

The coronation festivities will last from June 19 to June 30 and will include a naval review at Spithead, at which the king will be present, probably a military review and a royal reception in honor of the colonial and foreign envoys.

BLOW TO GERMAN GOVERNMENT

Result of Moabit Riot Case Proves Decided Rebuff and Socialists Are Jubilant.

BERLIN, Jan. 12.—The result of the trial of the Moabit riot case, which has been occupying the attention of the public for many weeks, is a decided rebuff to the government, and the radicals and Socialists are jubilant.

From the outset the state prosecutors who have been conducting the trial made it one of their chief aims to prove that the disturbances in the northern part of Berlin last summer were instigated directly by the Socialist party. At the same time they sought to refute the charges of brutality widely made against the police.

The court's verdict now explicitly asserts that the police were guilty of many inexcusable excesses and practically exonerates the Socialists by declining to mention them as factors in the rioting.

EARL CADOGAN WEDS COUSIN.

Countess Palagi Becomes Bride of the Wealthy British Nobleman at Florence.

LONDON, Jan. 12.—Surprise has been caused in London by the marriage of the Earl Cadogan to his cousin, the Countess Palagi, at Florence. The earl is one of the wealthiest of London ground landlords and a great entertainer of royalty. Three heirs to the title have died during his lifetime.

Cincinnati Man Killed in Germany.

BLANKENBURG, Germany, Jan. 12.—Sidney Joseph, described as a millionaire merchant of Cincinnati, dropped from a cliff in the Harz mountains yesterday and was killed. Joseph had been for some time at a sanitarium here, and it is stated he deliberately stepped from the height.

FORTIFY PANAMA IS TAFT'S DEMAND

President Sends Message to Congress Asking for $5,000,000 to Start Work.

WILL INSURE OUR PEACE.

Document Says We Have a Plain Right to Defend the Waterway.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 12.—President Taft today sent to congress a special message urging the fortification of the Panama canal and recommending that an appropriation of $5,000,000 for the initiation of the work be made at the present session of congress.

He forwarded with the message the report of the special army and navy board, recommending the fortification of the canal.

Canal Part of Our Coast Line.

"The canal when completed," said the president in his message, "will afford the only convenient route for water communication between the Atlantic and Pacific coasts and virtually will be a part of the coast line of the United States. Its assured possession and control will contribute to our peace, safety, and prosperity as a nation.

"In my judgment it is the right and the duty of the United States to fortify and make capable of defense the work that will bear so vital a relation to its welfare and that is being created solely by it and at an expenditure of enormous sums.

Original Estimate Cut Down.

"I have authorized the submission to the secretary of the treasury of the revised estimate for the appropriation referred to in the accompanying letter of the secretary of war, which estimate is less than the original estimate by approximately one-third."

The modified report of the fortifications board, accompanying the message, reduces the estimate of the cost of fortification of the canal from $19,546,843 to $12,475,328.

As modified, the board recommends that the armament at Panama shall consist of eight fourteen inch rifles, twelve six inch rifles, and twenty-four twelve inch mortars.

CHICAGOANS TO VISIT CANAL.

Plans are being made by the Illinois Manufacturers' association for a trip of inspection to the Panama canal zone, to be undertaken by a delegation of nearly 200 members, leaving Chicago not later than March 1.

So much interest has been taken in the trip that the directors have appointed a committee composed of E. N. Hurley, chairman; F. W. Upham, George P. Blow, P. A. Peterson, and H. G. Herget to make arrangements to visit the canal and possibly one or two South American points.

SAYS PERSIA DID NOT APPEAL.

Shah's Envoy at Washington Denies Story That His Nation Asked America's Aid.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 12.—Mirza Ali Kuli Khan, charge d'affaires of the Persian legation, today issued an official denial of a story widely circulated yesterday, to the effect that an appeal from the Persian government to the American people had reached New York and had been given out by H. H. Topakqan, the Persian consul general there.

"I read the dispatch," said Mr. Khan, "and I can state that my government has addressed no such appeal, and the general statements made in the dispatch as to conditions in Persia are inaccurate and exaggerated.

"The references in the press dispatch to an appeal being signed by the president of the council and to an American loan being sought are untrue."

BUILD CHINESE SHIP IN U. S.

New York Company Has Contract for Cruiser to Cost Over One Million Dollars.

New York, Jan. 12.—[Special.]—The New York Shipbuilding company of Camden, N. J., builders of the dreadnoughts Utah and Arkansas, has the contract for the building of the first Chinese man-o'-war ever laid down in this country. The ship is to be a cruiser of the second class, to cost something over a million, and the Bethlehem Steel company will supply the guns and armor. The news of this fact, which had been kept secret by the shipbuilding company, came today from Japan.

FIERCE BATTLE IN MEXICO.

More than Twenty Are Killed in Fighting on Rio Grande—Newspaper Man Is Hurt.

Comstock, Tex., Jan. 12.—More than twenty men were killed in a desperate battle between the Mexican federal soldiers and a small party of insurrectos on the bank of the Rio Grande opposite this point yesterday.

The insurgents had only eighteen men, and for three hours they held at bay about seventy-five rurales and about one hundred infantry soldiers. When darkness ended the battle the insurrectos held the field and the federal troops had withdrawn a couple of miles and camped. The insurrectos left a couple of hours later for their mountain headquarters, fifty miles away, carrying their wounded with them.

Of the eighteen insurrectos two were killed and seven wounded. E. S. O'Reilly, a correspondent with the insurgents, received a slight wounde in the thigh. He counted eighteen soldiers who were carried from the field.

The arrival of twenty more insurrectos in the last few minutes of the fight saved the defenders and prevented what probably would have been a massacre of the little band. The original party of insurrectos numbered forty men. They had been on a raid through the district south of Las Vacas ——— horses and recruits.

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"I doctored with two different doctors, and they did not seem to help her. Then a cousin of mine recommended the Cuticura Remedies. She said they cured one of her children, so I tried them, and they gave my child relief. I used a box of Cuticura Ointment and nearly a cake of Cuticura Soap, and my little girl was completely cured. She is three years old now and has not a sign of eczema. I have been keeping the Cuticura Ointment ever since and think the Cuticura Remedies are all right. I tell other people about them and how they cured my little girl." (Signed) Mrs. Minnie Clutter, Deer Lick, Pa., Aug. 29, 1910.

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TAFT MAKES PLEA FOR TARIFF BOARD

In Banquet Speech Indorses Longworth Bill as Conciliatory Measure.

WORKS FOR HARMONY.

Urges Permanent Body to Ways and Means Members at the White House.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 12.—Significant progress was made today in the movement for the creation of a permanent tariff commission. President Taft, in an address at the banquet of the National Tariff Commission association, openly indorsed the Longworth bill, characterizing it "as a conciliatory measure embodying all the important features that are necessary to make the commission effective." Furthermore, earlier in the day he summoned the Republican members of the ways and means committee to the White House, and urged them to harmonize their differences.

The president renewed his plea for harmony in his address tonight, declaring that what he was most anxious to avoid was the failure of tariff commission legislation at the present session because of any difference as to details. He asserted he would not mention "the bill that bears the name of the Ohio congressman" except that it seemed to him "to constitute a very well drawn compromise upon all the differences of detail that have existed between the supporters of various measures."

Gives Inquisitorial Powers.

The Longworth bill referred to by the president, according to the admission of its author, is an incorporation of salient features in the Lenroot and the Goode bills of the house and the La Follette and the Beveridge bills of the senate and provides for inquisitorial powers for the tariff commission as well as the safeguarding of information obtained.

The National Tariff Commission association early today had practically indorsed the Longworth bill in a resolution sent to congress demanding immediate tariff commission legislation and it was in amplification largely of the resolution of the association that President Taft spoke tonight.

The association had declared for a tariff commission whose powers and functions should be analogous to the interstate commerce commission.

Many members of the senate and house were present at the banquet and among the speakers were Senators Lodge of Massachusetts and Cummins of Iowa, and Representative Longworth of Ohio.

Why All Should Be Satisfied.

"You do not desire," said Mr. Taft, "if I understand your present resolutions, that these men should fix tariff rates or recommend rates to be fixed. You desire only that they should furnish the correct information upon which the body constitutionally charged with fixing tariff rates may properly act so that the public may have the truth from the tariff commission, and then advise itself how congress shall have acted with respect to that truthful presentation of premises for its action.

"There are those who oppose the existing tariff and criticise it severely. There are those who uphold it as a fair measure on the whole. Now it seems to me that both may logically and properly support the creation of a commission whose findings, if the former are right, will indicate the necessity for tariff changes; and that the latter may well and consistently support the same commission with the hope and belief that its investigation will show the present tariff is not unjust or unequal in its operations, or, if so, that it is only so in the case of a few schedules.

President Tells His Hopes.

"I am not one of those who expect that the tariff commission is going to reform the whole situation in such a way that we are to receive from them with mathematical certainty the exact difference in the cost of production here and abroad, or other circumstances that are useful in framing a tariff bill. Matters of that kind are necessarily matters not of exact ascertainment, but of judgment and general average.

"But I do hope that if the bill passes the results of the labors of the commission will be such that the congress will have sufficient information to reach a general average of fairness and justice, and that the people will have a reliable means of judging of the correctness of the action of congress.

"Then if congress shall depart from the economic theory of a majority of the people in the action taken upon this reliable information offered, the people will have recourse to the method adopted so often in the past—that of turning out the party in power and putting in a new party to carry out the then prevailing popular theory.

Reliable Evidence Essential.

"But it is of the utmost importance that the action both of the congress and of the people shall be taken on reliable evidence. Anything that tends to make that evidence and the conclusions from it fairer and freer from political bias ought to be encouraged.

"I quite agree with this association in favoring a consideration by congress of separate schedules or separate subject matters affected by the tariff, so as to prevent the action upon one schedule from being unduly influenced by promised action upon another. It is impossible to avoid this in a general revision.

"What I am most anxious to avoid in the present movement is a defeat of the bill growing out of a difference as to details.

"The truth is that there is a bill with the framing of which I have had nothing to do, but which seems to me to constitute a well drawn compromise upon all the differences of detail that have existed between the supporters of various measures. The fact that it bears the name of an Ohio congressman does not, it seems to me, necessarily detract from its value.

Embodies Important Features.

"I would not mention this bill as distinguished from others but for the fact that it seems to me a conciliatory measure, embodying all the important features that are necessary to make the commission effective; and what I am in favor of is a bill which will get through both houses without acrimonious dispute over unimportant features of the bill and without arousing either jealousy or suspicion or partisan and unreasonable criticism.

"The present tariff board is working well, but it is dependent wholly on executive order and an appropriation. It should be made permanent in some form."

The Chicago Association of Commerce was represented in the convention, which ended its work today, by Howard Elting, R. C. Butler, and G. K. Sage. Mr. Elting was a member of the resolutions committee and delivered an address in which he commended the work of the present tariff board and urged the creation of a permanent body to gather the facts necessary to the revision of customs duties.

BURROWS TO LEAD LORIMER DEFENSE

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pared this statement before the practical expulsion of Holstlaw from the state senate or he might not have concluded his comments with the following question:

"Can it be urged that the senate, in determining the truth of the charge affecting the election of Mr. Lorimer, should disregard the verdict of the courts and of the people before whom the charges were urged and considered and unseat a member upon testimony held insufficient by the people of the state of Illinois?"

Answer Ready for Heyburn.

The answer to Mr. Heyburn also may be found in the same individual statement, wherein he said:

"The senate may, however, inquire into the manner of the election of a member of its body to the extent and for the purpose of ascertaining whether such election were an honest one, representing the will of the members of the legislative body which certifies his election to the senate. In doing this we may inquire whether the votes cast by members of the legislature were procured by bribery of such members by the person for whom they vote or by any one on behalf of such person with the knowledge and consent of such person, and in case we should find that such bribery existed we should find that his election was procured in violation of the law and the person so elected should not be permitted to hold the office of senator."

Bailey's Own Words in Evidence.

The real brunt of the battle for Mr. Lorimer will fall upon Senator Bailey, Democrat, of Texas. With righteous indignation he rose from his seat in the senate on Dec. 18, 1905, and uttered these pregnant words with respect to Mr. Burton of Kansas, who was under indictment:

"The rule is different here from that which prevails in the courts. There, as a safeguard for the liberty of the citizen, he must have his guilt established beyond a reasonable doubt. Here the rule ought to be that he must free himself from all appearance of wrongdoing beyond reasonable doubt."

Yet Mr. Lorimer, whom Mr. Bailey is defending with such zealous interest, declined to take advantage of the opportunity to testify before the investigating committee. Nor is Mr. Bailey concerned that he failed to do so. It is his purpose to enter upon a learned discussion of the rule the senate should observe in Mr. Lorimer's case, and he will hold the question raised is one of expulsion and that consequently a two-thirds vote is necessary to deprive him of his seat.

Jog for Bailey's Memory.

It would be interesting if Mr. Bailey's attention also should be recalled in this connection to the following high minded sentiments which he uttered five years ago:

"I believe the rule—the best and safest rule—is that when a senator finds himself compelled by a sense of delicacy toward his associates to absent himself from the senate, he ought to resign and give his people a chance to fill his place while the case against him proceeds, and unless he represents a constituency unlike any that I ever have known, if he can vindicate himself against the charge, they will call him back into their honorable service with renewed devotion to him."

If Mr. Bailey recalled his own words as above set forth he must have had a queer feeling when Mr. Lorimer on Monday made the following statement:

"I hope that my presence here will not embarrass any senator who desires to discuss this matter, as his preesence will not embarrass me when the time shall arrive when I shall discuss it myself."

Lumber Interests to Be Felt.

There is reason to believe that the concern the lumber interests have in Mr. Lorimer's retention in the senate will be manifested in a tangible way tomorrow. They are losing no opportunity to influence the senate, going to lengths which are extraordinary.

Edward Hines of Chicago is at the capitol daily, bobbing in and out of senatorial offices and making statements designed to influence the judgment of men who pride themselves upon being members of a high court.

There is activity also in the house of representatives in behalf of Mr. Lorimer. The Illinois delegation is on the bargain counter, or at least that part of it which is controlled by Speaker Cannon and other friends of Mr. Lorimer.

Sinister reports are in circulation in reference to the lobbying of numerous friends of the junior senator, all designed to secure senatorial votes for Mr. Lorimer through pressure exerted by congressmen. Senators are studying the case with great care, and many of them will determine how they shall vote only when all the facts are before them.

LORIMERITES USE BIG FAIR AS CLUB

Lobbyists Reported Trying New "Influence" on Louisiana Senators.

NOW IS FIGHT FOR LIFE.

Texas Delegation Also Is Threatened Unless Members Can See the Light.

New Orleans, La., Jan. 13, 3 a. m.—The Times Democrat prints the following under a Washington date:

"Now that the crisis of the fight for the big fair in 1915 is drawing near, the delegation of the state in Washington is finding itself beset by many things its members never dreamed of. Today overtures came from the supporters of Senator Lorimer, accompanied by threats that unless the offers of the packing house crowd are heeded and the Louisiana senators find it convenient to follow Senator Bailey in support of the report leaving the Illinois senator in his seat, New Orleans would certainly lose some of the support she has been counting upon.

"It is a fight for life on the part of the packing house crowd, backing up their man, and aided largely by the lumber interests.

"The fight for the security of the man with whom Roosevelt refused to sit at table is being pushed to all lengths. His supporters in the senate and house are reported to be bringing all manner of pressure to bear on the Texas delegation, asking its members to use their influence on Senator Culberson to make him support Chairman Burrows of the committee on privileges and elections and his whitewash report.

"They are asserting that Lorimer is the best friend Illinois Democrats have, that he has been paying a large part of the expenses of that organization, and they have assured the Texans, who are working hard for the 'logical point,' that, unless Lorimer is left undisturbed in the senate, many votes for New Orleans will be lacking in the last count of noses."

HOW THE SENATE STANDS.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 12.—[Special.]—The Evening Star of this city prints the following this afternoon:

"Claims that a majority of the senate is opposed to Senator Lorimer in his fight to retain his seat and that a resolution to declare his seat vacant would pass are being made today by several of the leaders of the opposition.

"In backing up their claims these senators say that at least twenty-five Democratic votes can be counted against Mr. Lorimer, and that at least ten progressive or insurgent votes will be found in the same column. Counting the usual number of absentees, it is estimated that ten more votes against Mr. Lorimer will mean his defeat, and those ten, it is claimed, are to be found among the ranks of the conservative Republicans.

"The form of the motion which Senator Beveridge has made and the discussion of it yesterday afternoon by Senators Beveridge, Burrows, and Hale have determined that only a majority vote is necessary to decide the struggle. The motion declares the election of Mr. Lorimer was not legal and that his seat, therefore, is vacant."

SECOND TERM FOR SUTHERLAND.

Salt Lake City, Utah, Jan. 12.—George Sutherland was nominated by the Republican legislative caucus tonight to serve a second term as United States senator from Utah. The nine Democrats in the legislature are said to have arranged a complimentary vote for former Congressman W. H. King.

BALLOTING FOR U. S. SENATORS.

HARTFORD, Conn.—Homer S. Cummings, member of the Democratic national committee, was chosen as the Democratic nominee at the caucus for United States senator.

CHEYENNE, Wyo.—At a joint caucus of Republicans of the legislature Senator Clark was chosen, 44 to 30, as the nominee of the party to succeed himself. This means he will be re-elected.

PROVIDENCE, R. I.—The probability of a deadlock in the legislature over the election of a United States senator to succeed Nelson W. Aldrich became strong when only sixty-four members attended the caucus called by the Republican steering committee supporting Henry F. Lippitt. Seventy votes are necessary to elect a senator on the joint ballot. The "independent" Republicans claim Le Baron B. Colt will have at least thirty-five votes on the first ballot.

HELENA, Mont.—A third ballot for United States senator was taken by the Montana legislature in joint session, but no one received a majority. Carter, Republican, received 35 votes; Walsh, Democrat, 31; Conrad, Democrat, 18; scattering, 17.

M'GOVERN HITS INTERESTS

Badger Governor's Message Condemns Privilege Seekers.

USE OF MONEY MUST STOP.

Urges Workmen's Compensation Law Like That in Germany.

Madison, Wis., Jan. 12.—Gov. Francis E. McGovern in his message to the legislature today assailed the special interests which, he said, "have entered political life, not from patriotic or disinterested motives but for private gain at whatever cost to free institutions."

Referring to the primary law, Gov. McGovern characterized as its principal weakness that nominations may be made by the vote of a mere plurality. The defect, he said, will be remedied by permitting voters to name their second choice candidate for each office, and he earnestly recommended the enactment of such a law.

In urging an effective corrupt practices act Gov. McGovern said:

"The excessive use of money in political campaigns long has been an unmitigated evil. In the face of an enlightened and growing public sentiment this evil apparently has increased in magnitude with each succeeding year. The influence of money in political campaigns in Wisconsin must be removed. No more important or urgent legislative problem exists or can possibly be presented to you."

The governor also urged a workmen's compensation act modeled after the German system as well as conservation of natural resources and means for the prevention of forest fires.

Following the reading of the governor's message, bills providing for the referendum and initiative in all Wisconsin cities and for nonpartisan elections in Milwaukee were introduced in the senate.

Gov. Dix Remains Neutral.

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 12.—A parallel between the United States senatorship situation in New Jersey and New York, suggested by some who are trying to make Gov. Dix declare himself on the problem now confronting the legislature, does not appeal to the New York governor.

Gov. Dix was asked tonight whether he would maintain his silence if he believed the interests of the state were in danger.

"In such a case," he was asked, "would you not follow the example of Dr. Woodrow Wilson and publicly declare yourself?"

"I do not agree with Gov. Wilson," was the reply. "I think the legislature of New York state is amply able to cope with this question. They are answerable to their constituents and must take the consequences of their decision."

Iowa Senate Race Lively.

Des Moines, Ia., Jan. 12.—[Special.]—H. W. Byers of Harlan, candidate for United States senator, today accepted an appointment as corporation counsel for Des Moines, but in a statement to the public announced that he would not withdraw from the senatorial race.

Friends of W. S. Kenyon regard Mr. Byers' attitude as another evidence of a combination existing among the supporters of A. B. Funk, Warren Garst, and Gen. Byers to block Kenyon's hopes, and they are credited with the tacit support of Senator Cummins.

The legislature adjourned today until next Tuesday, when a ballot will be taken by each house on the Dolliver succession.

Gov. Carroll in his inaugural address made a plea for the cessation of political and factional feuds in Iowa, declaring they had an unwholesome effect upon the state.

STENSON ASKS VENUE CHANGE IN HIS ELECTION CONTEST.

Claimant for Democratic State Committee Place Argues Judge Owens Is Prejudiced.

Mandamus proceedings to compel County Judge Owens to permit a change of venue were begun yesterday in the Circuit court by Edward G. Stenson, contestant for Democratic state committeeman from the First congressional district against Robert Redfield. It is charged that Judge Owens, being affiliated with the Hearst-Harrison forces, is prejudiced against Stenson, who was the candidate of National Committeeman Roger C. Sullivan.

Ingersoll Monument Funds Slow.

Peoria, Ill., Jan. 12.—[Special.]—The response to an appeal for a fund to complete the Robert Ingersoll monument has met with unsatisfactory results. It is reported that less than $3,000 has been subscribed of the $10,000 required.

FRESH SCANDALS IN STATE CAPITAL

Much New Information on Corruption to Be Given Senate Committee.

BURKE WILL AID INQUIRY

Sangamon State's Attorney and Also Wayman May Reveal Jury Secrets.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 12.—[Special.]—New evidence, which has failed thus far to reach the grand juries in Cook or Sangamon counties, is believed to be in readiness for disclosure before the Illinois senate investigation committee which will begin next week its search for proof of bribery in the Forty-sixth general assembly of the state.

The precise lines which will mark the course of the Helm committee have not been laid down and will not be until the senate has acted officially upon the Hurburgh resolution, under the terms of which the Helm committee can go after anybody or anything believed to have been connected with the legislative scandals of 1909.

Burke and Wayman to Aid.

Adoption of the resolution is scheduled for Tuesday morning, by the senate organization, which is a unit for a rapid and thorough search for the truth. The Helm committee will meet Tuesday afternoon, in that event, and put the final touches upon the preliminaries of the investigation.

State's Attorney Burke has several fresh matters to lay before the committee, according to well founded reports. During the investigation which he made while seeking for evidence to produce before the Sangamon county grand jury in connection with the bribery and conspiracy indictments, Mr. Burke ran upon considerable bits of interesting information which may be of much more importance to the Helm committee than to a Sangamon county grand jury.

Lorimer Men Alarmed.

The situation has seriously alarmed the cohorts of the junior senator, who remained over in Springfield today to discuss the latest developments in the bribery scandals.

NOTES FROM NATIONAL CAPITAL.

The senate bill to encourage rifle practice and promote a patriotic spirit among the citizens and youth of the United States was urged on the house committee on military affairs by Maj. Gen. Leonard Wood, Brig. Gen. Wingate, and Adjt. Gen. Boardman of Wisconsin.

The house committee on military affairs added the $770,000 for field artillery for organized militia to the army appropriation bill and reported the measure to the house. It carries $92,871,986, a reduction of $411,246 from the estimates.

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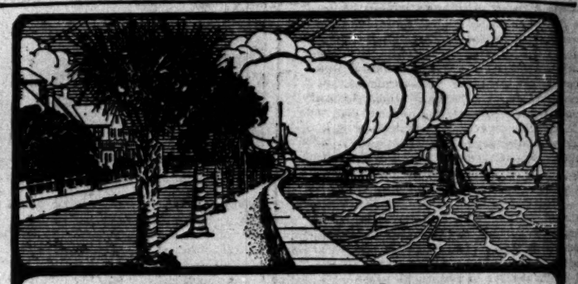

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MRS. A. M. WERNER.

'LAZY' STRIKERS FIGHT PEACE

Leaders Say "Neverwork" Men Would Rather Be Fed Free.

NEW CHANCES OF A TRUCE.

Expect Conference Soon with Firms Over Proposed Agreement.

Considerable opposition to the new peace proposition developed yesterday among a radical faction in the garment workers' strike. One group of Polish strikers in session at Walsh's hall, Milwaukee avenue and Noble street, refused to sanction the proposed agreement.

This created dissatisfaction among some strikers in session at Hodcarriers' hall. The strike leaders, however, ignored the clamors of the radicals and insisted that with a vote of 98 per cent of the strikers in favor of it the proposition would be adopted.

As a result of the opposition President Thomas A. Rickert of the United Garment Workers of America urged haste in communicating with the employers for reaching an agreement and terminating the strike.

Delay Fatal, Says Rickert.

Delay in starting negotiations with the employers, in the opinion of President Rickert, may result in stirring up the strikers to another revolt against the union leaders.

Blame for the opposition to peace is laid by the strike leaders at the door of supposed anarchists and hired spies in the ranks of the strikers. It was said also that a number of "neverwork" men are at the bottom of the trouble. This class of "strikers," it was said, is being fed by the commissary department and they do not want this condition to end, which it would by a termination of the strike.

Small Shops Still Resist.

The joint strike conference, however, is invested with full power to act and call off strikes against any employer who signs the proposed agreement. A committee of the union visited several small concerns during the [illegible] out result.

[illegible] will be made today. There is [illegible] underground work being done to [illegible] for conferences with Hart, Schaffner & Marx and other large concerns.

It is understood that the officials of Hart, Schaffner & Marx are in a receptive mood. It is likely an effort will be made to bring about a conference today or tomorrow. Officials of the "association" houses announced that they will refuse to sign the proposed agreement.

Mrs. Raymond Robins, president of the Woman's Trade Union league, expressed indignation over the arrest of Annie Rudnitsky, 17 years old, a protégé of the league officials. The girl was arrested on a warrant issued by Judge Newcomer on complaint of Celia Livingston, a nonunion employe of Hart, Schaffner & Marx. Miss Livingston complained that the Rudnitsky girl, who is a picket, attacked her. She will be tried this morning before Municipal Judge Going.

MORRIS & CO. TELL OF FIRE DEFECTS

Officials 'Do Some Explaining' at Inquest Regarding the Faults in Plant.

ASKS ABOUT BRAVE BOY.

Coroner Would Know if Stephen Leen Met Death in Helping One of Firemen.

It was a day of explanations in the stockyards fire inquest yesterday, with Morris & Co. in the rôle of "explainer in chief."

The difficulty of the firemen in obtaining water at the standpipe nearest the fire when they first arrived and delay in remedying defects in the plant's electrical wiring system were subjects presented for consideration of the coroner's jury. With respect to the first Morris & Co. officials argued that the handicap faced by the firemen was due to a defect in the valve rather than in the water system. It was shown that six pumps are kept working night and day, and that the pipes are never drained, as they are in winter in some other plants.

City Electrical Inspector H. C. Hortsmann testified that he had been told by the chief electrician of the Morris plant on Dec. 14 that nothing had been done to remedy defects pointed out in a city report of May 12, but that work would be commenced immediately because the underwriters had raised the insurance rates.

Claim They Did Make Repairs.

Morris & Co. officials, however, denied that such neglect had existed, and produced requisitions and testimony to show that several hundred dollars' worth of electrical repairs had been completed on section 7 immediately prior to the fire.

V. H. Tousley, chief inspector of the electrical department, Inspector Hortsmann, Mr. Hunter, Electrician George F. Mulhern of the Morris plant, and others asserted that they did not class the defects found as "dangerous," but merely as conditions below the standards now maintained.

Inspector Tousley claimed that out of 7,863 fires in the last ten years the causes of which are known, only 688 were caused by electricity, and of these 688 only four-tenths of 1 per cent occurred under such conditions as existed in the basement of section 7 of the Morris plant.

Mr. Hunter said that the insurance rate at the Chicago stockyards is lower than the rate at any other packing center in the United States, and that the risk is considered better by insurance men.

Coroner Urges Ventilation.

Coroner Hoffman expressed himself strongly as of the opinion that no more buildings should be constructed without windows or ventilation, pointing out that in case of fire such airtight structures almost invariably explode, causing loss of life, and are exceedingly hard to fight fire in because of the lack of openings. He suggested that asbestos windows should be constructed which would blow out when the pressure became great, and through which the firemen could force a stream of water.

Asks About Boy's Death.

Before the adjournment for the day, Coroner Hoffman expressed a desire to know the circumstances surrounding the death of Stephen Leen, the one boy victim of the fire.

"It has been brought to my attention," said the coroner, "that he was standing near with a lantern in his hand, when he was asked for the light by a fireman. He gave him the light and then climbed upon a freight car and assisted this fireman. I have been unable to find out who the fireman was, but if this is true it seems to me it should be known."

The inquest will be continued this morning.

PHONE COMBINE HIT AGAIN

Contract of Chicago Company with Parent Concern Assailed.

PRINGLE CALLS IT HOLDUP.

Declared Unjust to Subscribers and the Local Stockholders.

W. J. Hagenah, expert investigator for the council committee on gas, oil, and electric light, yesterday emphasized his criticism of the contract under which the Chicago Telephone company paid the American Telephone and Telegraph company $422,326 in 1909.

He called the contract a "device of the majority stockholders to secure larger dividends than the other stockholders" because of the ownership of 82 per cent of the Chicago company's stock by the Bell interests. In his criticism he was supported by Ald. Pringle, Merriam, and Long, constituting the subcommittee in charge of the telephone rate investigation.

"I see no objection," said Mr. Hagenah, "to the company's making a contract or renting instruments, but I maintain, as a matter of justice to the company's subscribers and its stockholders in Chicago, that the large amount charged here should not be included in the operating expenses.

Rent Paid on Own Property.

"The Chicago company is buying the instruments at a high price and then paying a high rent for them. To pay rent on property which you own is bad business.

"If the American Telephone and Telegraph company is acting in good faith with the companies whose stock it controls, why should it not charge them more nearly the cost of the service?"

"The American Telephone and Telegraph company," interjected President E. B. Sunny of the local company, "never has attempted to dictate the policy of the Chicago Telephone company. I doubt if the directors of the Chicago company have any interest in the American company."

"I question the right," said Ald. Long, "of a man owning a majority of stock in a corporation to make a contract which will benefit himself only. The contract is objectionable. It is not so much a question of money as it is the relations between the two companies."

Blames the Parent Company.

"We have the situation here," added Ald. Merriam, "where the parent company acquires the Chicago company and then compels the Chicago company to pay for being associated with the parent company."

"If the Subway Telephone company could enter into such a contract as this and substitute itself for the Chicago Telephone company," said President Sunny, "I think it would be willing to pay $10,000,000 for the privilege."

"If the American company is the kind of a bogyman that can go in and make a $10,000,000 holdup," said Ald. Pringle, "I think it should be discovered."

The question of "free telephones" entered into the discussion when Ald. Merriam asked Mr. Hagenah if the local company has been giving free service to any one except those for whom it is provided in the ordinance. Mr. Hagenah said he had found no evidence of that kind.

NATIONAL FLOWER IS THEME.

Women Delegates Discuss Question and Committee Is Appointed to Present Memorial to Congress.

New York, Jan. 12.—[Special.]—Fifty representatives of women's clubs from New York and neighboring states today considered the claims of the laurel, daisy, goldenrod, and columbine as the national flower, but no agreement was reached. A committee was appointed to present to congress a memorial on the subject.

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Two women were the victims of a negro highwayman on the South Side last night.

Miss Margaret Tracy, ticket agent at the Wallace street station of the Stockyards branch of the South Side Elevated railroad, was robbed of part of the day's receipts, and Mrs. I. M. Williams, 3658 Indiana avenue, was held up in front of her residence.

The robberies took place one hour apart, and, from the description given by the women, the police think both crimes were committed by the same man.

Miss Tracy was leaving the station at 9 o'clock when the negro attacked her on the stairway.

She carried a handbag that contained $12, which she was taking to the station at Fortieth street and Indiana avenue. The negro struck her on the head and wrested the bag from her hand. Miss Tracy lives at 3851 South State street.

Mrs. Williams was attacked and robbed of a purse containing a small amount of money and some articles of jewelry.

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Society, Clubs, Entertainments.

NEXT Tuesday brings the annual election of the Woman's Athletic club, when eight new board members and an entire new set of officers will be chosen. According to the laws of the club, no office can be held for more than two years by the same member, and this means that with this year every office will be changed. Mrs. Frederick W. Upham, under whose leadership the club not only has had a great growth but a series of unusual entertainments during the two years of her office; Mrs. Reuben H. Donnelley, the vice president; Mrs. Will H. Lyford, the secretary; and Mrs. W. N. Pelouze, the treasurer, make up the list of retiring officers. Eight of the fifteen members of the board also retire from the board. The officers are chosen from the body of fifty women who compose the corporation of the club.

Mrs. Robert H. Van Schaack and Miss Albione Van Schaack, 65 Cedar street, have issued cards for Saturday, Jan. 21.

Mrs. E. E. Ayer, 2 Banks street, will give a musical on Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 25. Mr. Tramonti and Mr. Barthel will give the program.

The Antiquarian society has issued cards for Thursday afternoon, Jan. 19, at 3 o'clock. Lorado Taft will give an address.

Mrs. William J. Bryson, 741 Buena avenue, will give a dinner-dance on Monday evening, Jan. 30, at the Blackstone hotel in honor of Miss Anita Blair and Miss Louise De Koven Bowen. There will be some seventy-five guests —all young friends of the two debutantes.

Mrs. Henry S. Robbins and Miss Marjorie Robbins of the Virginia gave a young people's dinner and theater party last night.

Mrs. W. R. Linn, 2709 Michigan avenue, will give a dinner on Tuesday evening next for Miss Louise Nevins of Minneapolis, who is the guest of her daughter, Miss Mabel Linn.

Mrs. John Sebastian and Mrs. Don B. Sebastian gave a reception yesterday afternoon at the residence of the former, 1005 Forest avenue, Evanston. Mrs. R. D. Richardson, Mrs. Walter Pond, Mrs. William E. Park, Mrs. Frank Starkweather, Mrs. Anna Riskitt, Mrs. Rollin Keyes, Mrs. John Slade, Mrs. Harold Armstrong, Mrs. A. T. Clyde, and Miss Ella Brown assisted in receiving.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kane have sold the residence at 605 Ashland boulevard, where they have resided for so many years, and have purchased a house at 1251 Asbury avenue, Evanston. They have taken possession of the new residence and have with them Mr. and Mrs. Merle F. Eshbaugh (Theodosia Kane).

Mr. and Mrs. Will M. Hough (Florence Lord) have left The Manor, Asheville, N. C., and now are at Park-in-the-Pines, Aiken, S. C. They will return to Chicago in March and will be at home at the Hotel Metropole.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McHugh and Miss Dolly McHugh leave for New York on Sunday. They will sail on Jan. 21 for a four months' cruise to South America and the Straits of Magellan.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Kruttschnitt, 60 Bellevue place, will leave within a day or two for New York and will sail for Europe on Jan. 25. They will take with them their daughter, Miss Rebecca Kruttschnitt, Miss Helen Gurley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Gurley, 1416 North State street, and Miss Janet Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John S. Miller, 1433 Astor street. The company will tour Egypt, Italy, and France and will return to Chicago in the spring.

MRS. THEODORA PARSONS

Mrs. Theodore Parsons will speak before the Humboldt Woman's club Tuesday, Jan. 17, at 2:30 p. m. at Ranier hall, on the occasion of the club's tenth birthday anniversary.

Sanitarium Officers Elected.

Mrs. E. C. Ferguson has been elected president of the Jackson Park sanitarium; Mrs. C. F. Hills, first vice president; Mrs. R. G. Dwen, second vice president; Mrs. H. S. Tiffany, recording secretary; Mrs. G. B. Grosvenor, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. J. G. Reid, treasurer.

Society at the Nation's Capital.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 12.—[Special.]—The president and Mrs. Taft were the guests at dinner tonight of the attorney general and Mrs. Wickersham. Other guests were Senator and Mrs. Chauncey M. Depew, Senator and Mrs. Elihu Root, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Choate, Mr. and Mrs. James Byrne, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Wainwright, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Milburn, Mr. and Mrs. August Belmont, Sir Robert and Lady Hadfield, Judge Dike, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Aikin, and Miss Wickersham.

The vice president and Mrs. Sherman were guests of honor at a dinner given tonight by the ambassador from France and Mme. Jusserand. Other guests were the ambassador from Austria-Hungary, Baron Hengelmiller; the ambassador from Germany and Countess von Bernstorff, Justice and Mrs. McKenna, the secretary of the navy and Mrs. Meyer, Senator Kean, Miss Kean, Senator Wetmore, Senator Dupont, the minister from the Netherlands and Mme. Loudon, Mr. and Mrs. Chandler Hale, Mrs. Slater, Mrs. Richard Townsend, Miss Elizabeth Kean, and the counselor of the embassy and Mme. Lefevre-Pontalis.

Miss Helen Taft was honor guest tonight at a dinner given by Miss Yvonne Townsend, daughter of the former minister to Belgium and Mrs. Lawrence Townsend. The dinner guests met later at the dance arranged for this evening by the secretary of the navy and Mrs. Meyer in compliment to Miss Taft.

The assistant secretary of state and Mrs. Huntington Wilson entertained at luncheon today, the guests including the American ambassador to Great Britain and Mrs. Whitelaw Reid, the chargé d'affaires of Argentina and Mme. Villegas, the American minister to Argentina and Mrs. Charles H. Sherrill, Miss Sherrill, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Orr, Miss Mabel P. Boardman, and Mr. McKnight.

Army Officer Is Married.

Leavenworth, Kas., Jan. 12.—Capt. Daniel Van Voorhis of the Tenth cavalry, U. S. A., was married here last night to Miss Edith Burbank. The ceremony was performed by Chaplain Henry Swift of the Thirteenth infantry. After a honeymoon in the east Capt. and Mrs. Voorhis will go to San Francisco, arriving in time to sail for Manila Feb. 5.

George Ade to Be Sigs' Guest.

George Ade, grand consul of the Sigma Chi fraternity, will be the chief guest at a reception and dinner to be given by the Chicago alumni chapter of the fraternity Saturday evening, Jan. 21. Several interesting addresses have been announced for the dinner, which will be held in College hall, University club. The program follows: "How We Fooled Them at Purdue," H. H. Vinton; "Hall Bedroom Twins," John T. McCutcheon; "Reminiscences as a News Chaser in Chicago in the Early Seventies," Brand Whitlock; "Fable and Fame," James Todd; "Our Grand Consul," Charles Alling Jr., and "Rebuttal," George Ade.

Among the Clubs.

The drama occupied two club audiences yesterday. In the morning members of the English study class of the Chicago Woman's club, under the leadership of Mrs. Ella W. Peattie, took up the historical perspective; a scrutiny of audiences; the impulse behind the play. In the afternoon Mrs. Frances Squire Potter read from her play, "Jamieson," before the members of the Evanston Drama club at Library hall of Northwestern university. The play is written in three acts and an epilogue, and the scene is laid in Chicago. The principal scene takes up the question, "Why it is that the moral influence of many good people does not reach the mark." The ethical value of the play recognizes the willingness of humanity to be unselfish up to a certain point, but there it flinches at the first actual test. The theme is that to save one's life, one must lose it. Mrs. Potter said: "A student of the drama, to become thoroughly conversant, must have some actual experience. It is essential and absolutely indispensable. Every one interested in drama clubs should at some time take a peep behind the scenes of a real theater and see how plays are staged." The Evanston club will attend in a body the first night's performance of "The Passing of the Third Floor Back" on Jan. 22. Mrs. Potter left last evening for Cincinnati, O., where she will speak tonight before the woman's convocation at the University of Cincinnati. Saturday evening she will speak to the teachers of Cincinnati, and Saturday noon will be guest of honor at a luncheon given by the college suffragists.

Business Woman's Literary club of the Lincoln-Jefferson university met last evening in the Harvester building, 237 Michigan avenue. Mrs. Alice Ward Bailey, author of "The Sage Brush Parson" and other books, spoke on "New England Character," illustrated by ballads.

Mrs. Lucina G. Irish of River Forest, former resident missionary in Kiukiang, China, spoke at the Avondale Methodist Episcopal church last evening on "Woman Patriotic," and made an appeal for the twentieth century woman. "The primitive woman and her influence is felt throughout the world today," said Mrs. Irish. Woman was the inventor of the hoe, the plow, and the pickax, she was the pioneer in the quarrying and pottery field. The succeeding generations gradually have taken from her her natural occupations, and today she stands forth a free, unhampered individual. She is the acknowledged ruler. Woman and child are the basis of the most popular fiction, the form of woman crowns our capitol dome, and the figure of a woman welcomes the stranger to our country; shall we then not be true to womanhood and give to her just due, the ballot?"

United States Daughters of 1812 of the state of Illinois met yesterday at the residence of Mrs. James A. Ostrom, 5039 Washington avenue. Horatio L. Wait gave an address on "Fort Barrancas." Two daughters of the war were taken into membership at the meeting, Mrs. Tenedor Ten Eyck of 5704 Madison avenue and Mrs. Daniel Melendy of 308 South Robey street.

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Meetings and Entertainments.

ARCHE CLUB will have a civic program today at 3 p. m. in Lincoln center, Langley avenue and Oakwood boulevard. Dr. W. A. Evans will speak for the department of health, Henry E. Legler for the public library, and Mrs. H. M. Wilmarth for the Woman's City club. A business meeting will follow. The art study class will hold a morning meeting at 10:30 for a talk by Garabed T. Pushman on "Oriental Rugs." Luncheon will be served at 12:30 p. m.

CARLETON LITERARY CLUB will meet Tuesday, Jan. 17, at 2 p. m., in Handel hall. Mrs. William Street will speak. Mr. A. H. Anthony and Mrs. Segley Haley, Dr. Balatka, and Miss Marjorie Johnstone will furnish the musical program.

COLUMBIA COLLEGE OF EXPRESSION will give a dramatic reading of Maurice Maeterlinck's "Mary Magdalene" by Miss Margaret D. Yuill tomorrow at 3 p. m. at Steinway hall, 17 Van Buren street.

CULTURE COTERIE will meet Wednesday, Jan. 18, with Mrs. Bliss, 4731 Winthrop avenue. "Our Writers in the East" will be the subject of discussion. Mrs. B. V. Hill will speak on "Edward Everett Hale," Mrs. B. W. Goodsell on "William Dean Howells," Mrs. L. Bliss on "Our Historians," and Mrs. Ralph H. Jewell on "Late Writers of the Historical Novel."

CURRENT TOPIC CLUB of Blue Island will meet Thursday, Jan. 19, in charge of the Municipal Art League of Chicago. Mrs. Herman J. Hall, Mrs. William Frederick Grower, and Mrs. William F. Young will speak.

FORTY-FIRST STREET PRESBYTERIAN church will have an address by Leroy Steward, chief of police, Monday evening, Jan. 16. "What Chicago Needs" will be the subject discussed. Men only will be admitted. The Rev. William Chalmers Covert, pastor of the church, will preside.

HUMBOLDT PARK WOMAN'S CLUB will celebrate its tenth birthday anniversary Tuesday, Jan. 17, at 2 p. m., in Rainier hall, Logan square. Several clubs will participate. Dr. Rose D. Howe and Mrs. F. E. Morey have the program in charge. Mrs. Theodore Parsons will speak on "Brain Culture Through Scientific Body Building."

KENWOOD CLUB will give a dancing party this evening.

MATHESIS CLUB will meet Tuesday, Jan. 17, in Boulevard Masonic temple. Dr. J. M. Artman will speak on "The Significance of the Transition Stage of Adolescence."

NEW THOUGHT FEDERATION members will give a banquet to Dr. Horatio W. Dresser at Gunther's café this evening. Other guests of honor will be the Rt. Rev. Bishop Samuel W. Fallows and Dr. Emil G. Hirsch. Sunday evening Dr. Dresser will speak on "Idealism" at Unity temple, Oak Park. Wednesday evening Dr. Dresser will speak at Recital hall, Auditorium, and Jan. 20 at Scoville Institute, Oak Park.

NORTH END CLUB will meet at the Edgewater Presbyterian church Monday, Jan. 16, at 11 a. m. under the auspices of the domestic science class. Mrs. F. E. Hubbard announces a practical demonstration of a dinner menu.

NORTHWESTERN BRANCH of the Northwestern Foreign Missionary society will meet today from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. at the Diversey Boulevard Methodist Episcopal church. Luncheon will be served. Mrs. Bishop Bashford of China will speak.

RIDGEWAY PLAYERS will present "The Henrietta" at the Ridgeway club house, 5536 Indiana avenue, this evening and tomorrow evening.

SATURDAY MORNING CLASS of the Daughters of the American Revolution will meet in room 921, Fine Arts building, tomorrow at 10:30 a. m. Dr. Spaulding of the Chicago health department will speak.

UNIVERSITY LECTURE ASSOCIATION announces Arthur E. Bestor, director of Chautauqua institution, as speaker on "George Washington and Our Foreign Policy" in Library hall, Maywood, Thursday evening, Jan. 19. The same evening in Lewis institute, Robey and Madison streets, Prof. S. H. Clark of the University of Chicago will give an interpretative recital of Echegaray's "Mariana." Saturday evening in Music hall of the Fine Arts building Prof. Clark will continue his series of interpretative readings from masterpieces of fiction, selecting for that evening Victor Hugo's "Les Miserables."

WEST END WOMAN'S CLUB will meet Friday, Jan. 20, at 2 p. m. Mary Ridpath Mann will speak on "A Twentieth Century Rembrandt." Mrs. G. H. Cleveland, Mrs. J. M. Patton, Mrs. Louis Thexton, and Mrs. E. E. Palmer will serve as hostesses. Saturday evening, Jan. 21, the Saturday night open door meeting will be held. The physical culture class will be directed by Mrs. Mary Culbertson, assisted by Miss Margaret Heath.

WICKER PARK WOMAN'S CLUB will meet Tuesday, Jan. 17, at 2 p. m. at the Northwest club house, 2017 Evergreen avenue. Prof. J. G. Carter Troop will give the second of a series of lectures.

Music and the Drama.

Small Talk of the Stage.

The engagement of Mr. W. H. Crane, in "U. S. Minister Bedloe," at the Blackstone, will end next week. Mr. Frohman, having nothing at hand to offer as Mr. Crane's successor, the Imperial Russian Court Balalaika orchestra will appear there for a limited time, beginning Sunday, Jan. 22, under the direction of W. W. Andreef. This orchestra plays, in particular, the peasant songs of Russia upon primitive instruments, though its programs include other music.

The Studebaker will continue to be "dark" next week, because Mr. Charles Dillingham finds it necessary to send Mr. Eugene Walter's play, "Homeward Bound," to New York instead of to Chicago. Miss Henrietta Crosman will reopen the theater Sunday night, Jan. 22, in Mr. Percy Mackaye's play, "Anti-Matrimony."

"The Summer Girl" is the title of the new musical comedy which will succeed "The Sweetest Girl in Paris" at the La Salle Sunday evening, Feb. 5. The play was done once by the amateurs of the Hermits club, in Cleveland, and under the name "The Hermits of Sleepy Hollow" was a smart success in that city. Its authors are young men of Cleveland, although the professional hand of Mr. R. H. Burnside, musical director of the Hippodrome in New York, was utilized in its production. In the cast there will be Miss Clara Palmer, Mr. Sidney Grant, Miss Grace Edmunds, Mr. George Wilson, and others.

Mr. Edward Sheldon's play, "The Boss," produced last Monday night in Detroit, will on the 22d inst. take the place of "The Jolly Bachelors" in the Lyric theater.

Mr. Chevalier's tenancy of the Princess will come to an end next week, and he will be succeeded there by "The Warning," a play in which Mr. Arthur Eddy of Chicago incorporates his dramatic ideas of the underworld. The piece was produced recently in Syracuse, N. Y., under the name of "Shadows." It tells about a nice girl who discovers that her half-brother and her lover are "crooks."

In the cast for "The Pink Lady," a musical comedy by Messrs. Caryll and McLellan, to be produced next month by Messrs. Klaw & Erlanger, are Miss Hazel Dawn, Miss Alice Dovey, Miss Alice Hegeman, Messrs. Frank Lalor, Crawford Kent, John E. Young, and George E. Mack.

"The Zebra," a farcical comedy adapted from the French by Mr. Paul M. Potter, will be produced at the end of this month by Mr. Charles Frohman, with Miss Adelaide Nowak, Miss Irene Fenwick, Messrs. Hamilton Revelle, Richie Ling, and Lawrence d'Orsay in the cast.

Mr. William Faversham will appear in Daly's theater, New York, Jan. 18, in "The Faun," a new play by Mr. Edward Knoblauch.

"The Hen Pecks," book by Mr. Glen MacDonald and music by Mr. A. B. Sloane, will be produced in the Broadway theater, New York, this month. The cast will include Messrs. Lew Fields, Lawrence Wheat, Bert Leslie, and Misses Gertrude Quinlan, Ethel Johnson, and Blossom Sealey.

Mr. Henry Arthur Jones' play, "We Can't Be as Bad as All That," will be withdrawn from Nazimova's theater, New York, tomorrow, after a run of two weeks. It is commercially a flat failure.

Miss Helen Ware, in "The Deserters," will succeed "The Little Damozel" at the Whitney Jan. 22.

Pavlowa and Mordkin, with the Russian dancers, will give their last entertainment in Chicago this season at the Auditorium Saturday afternoon and evening, Jan. 21.

Mr. Henry Miller's performance of "The Havoc," by H. Sophus Sheldon of Chicago, inspired the following comment in the same quarter:

The Tribune: "It is a clever little play, well constructed and containing enough of the element of novelty, of treatment and unexpected turns of incident to create and sustain interest. The dialogue is clever and amusing."

The Evening Post: "But for certain commonplace preachments, which, of course, had to be delivered seriously, the whole thing might have been acted in a spirit of the broadest farce, so preposterous are the situations of the drama and so impossible the characters."

The Evening Telegram: "Delicious bits of satire are constantly in evidence throughout the play."

Pupils of the Chicago Musical college school of acting will appear in the Ziegfeld theater Saturday morning in acts from "St. Cecilia," "Wooing Fugi," and "The Pipers' Pay."

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Stage Calls Back Mrs. Heinze.

New York, Jan. 12.—[Special.]—Mrs. Bernice Golden Henderson Heinze, wife of F. Augustus Heinze, has decided to return to the stage. James A. Fagan is engaged in preparing a play for Mrs. Heinze and the opening will take place probably in London. The play is to be called "Bella Donna" and may be a dramatization of the Hichens novel of that name. Mrs. Heinze is now at Mount Clemens, Mich.

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New Theater to Produce "The Piper."

New York, Jan. 12.—[Special.]—The New theater announced today that Josephine Preston Peabody's prize play, "The Piper," will be produced there on Jan. 30, for the first time in America. This play won the $1,500 Stratford prize for the best play to be produced during the Shakespearean festival at Stratford-on-Avon, England, last spring.

MISS GERTRUDE VANDERBILT.

Miss Vanderbilt is a soubrette of much vivacity, who dances zealously and with grace in the livelier intervals of "The Happiest Night of His Life" at the Colonial.

Apollo Club Presents Attractive New Work.

BY GLENN DILLARD GUNN.

"THE NEW LIFE," by Wolf-Ferrari, a cantata for chorus, orchestra, and soprano and baritone solo, received its first hearing in Chicago last night in the Auditorium. In addition to the regular chorus of the Apollo club it engaged the services of 600 children's voices, the full Thomas orchestra, reinforced by a piano, six kettledrums, an extra harp, and the organ; in short, about 1,000 people were required for its presentation.

Despite the fact that the new composer thus impressively and, as the event proved, auspiciously introduced to Chicago music lovers has a message of much poetry and charm to impart, the conviction is unavoidable that his demands in the matter of means are extravagant in view of the relative smallness of the results obtained. Wolf-Ferrari reveals in this work a musical personality that is distinctive. We may measure the new only by comparison with that which is already known, and it implies no stricture on the quality of his originality when one defines it as containing something of the elegiac breadth of Liszt in its poetry; something of Strauss' colorful orchestral palette—the more delicate hues, at least; a great deal of German earnestness combined with an equal measure of Italian lyricism; a talent for new orchestral combinations and a gift to sustain a monophonic choral progression without becoming tedious.

The cantata is more remarkable for its intimate and poetic qualities than for choral massiveness which the composer has rarely sought. He has used the children's voices as he employs the piano, the drums, or the English horn, for an especial tonal effect. He desires variety of color, not of dynamic contrast. Yet in the few moments when an ear filling mass of choral tone seems necessary he fails to attain it because he makes the mistake of doubling parts rather than of dividing them. Nine hundred voices singing four parts develop less tonal volume than 300 voices singing five, six, or eight parts. The composer defines also another shortcoming in this lack of polyphonic structure that limits his climaxes. Many voices demand many melodies sung together. It is a law of choral music. Else the chorus becomes but another means of attaining qualitative variety in the great tonal palette—a part of the orchestra, not the glorious sum of human song.

Analysis of the work was printed recently in these columns. This review may therefore confine itself to impressions of the performance. The prologue is a remarkable example of the poetic and the imaginative. It begins with a soprano solo and builds up the only significant polyphonic climax of the work, therefore the mightiest and the most impressive. Mrs. Mabel Sharp Herdien, who at the last moment took the place of Miss Leonora Sparkes of the Metropolitan opera, sang this number exquisitely. Chorus and orchestra took up her song and carried it to greater heights of expressiveness.

The following part entitled "Ballata" develops rhythmical originality in charming measure and is further an example of poetic symbolism and melodic grace that notably enriches choral literature. "The Dance of the Angels" played by piano, two harps, six kettledrums, and string pizzicato, proved so delightful that the audience clamored eagerly for a repetition, which, however, was denied. The "Arioso" which follows is equally charming, with its Italian cantalene and its delicate Straussian orchestration, while the splendid imagination of Liszt is suggested in the ensuing "Sonetto" with its remarkable piano accompaniment. Thereafter the work declines steadily in interest.

In addition to the remarkable contribution of Mrs. Herdieu the performance reflected credit on Mr. Wild and the chorus, adult and juvenile; on the Thomas orchestra which played the accompaniments with care, a few accidents apart; on Concertmaster Letz, whose soli were admirably delivered, and particularly on the pianist Edgar Nelson, who achieved splendid ensemble values. The baritone, Marcus Kellerman, seems ambitious to rival Caruso as the most tearful of singers. He wept every verse and these sentimental exaggerations did not gain by the naturally unmusical quality of his voice.

Woman and Her Interests.

Answer, Darling.

BY LAURA JEAN LIBBEY.

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When thou art near me, sorrow seems to fly,
And I think there's a none more blest than I.
But when thou leav'st me, doubts and fears arise;
The sunshine of my soul is in thine eyes.

WHAT would lovers do but pine away were it not for the boon of sweet tender letters that fly like doves from the one to the other. A man prides himself upon his will power, doesn't he? He never realizes how chicken hearted he is until he happens to be away from home on business and does not receive the letter from his sweetheart which he expected a certain mail to bring.

Ah, well, another mail arrives a few hours later; of course it will come by that. He starts out on the business that brought him to that place—so far from his dearie—but, instead of his heart being light, it is woefully heavy.

He is anxious to cut the business as short as is consistent with politeness. He is eager to get back to his hotel and get that letter.

Another mail, and yet another arrives, but still no letter.

He is invited out to the theater, but he declines impatiently. How could he sit through a play with a heart in his bosom torn with conflicting emotions? A thousand fears assail him. He knows that he had many rivals for his lady's favor. Has not one of these, by some subtle process, succeeded in monopolizing her attention to the exclusion of all thoughts of himself? The notion is harrowing to him.

He can stand the strain on his nerves no longer; business go hang! If a letter does not come from the dearie of his heart by the next mail he'll be ringing her door bell ere the sun sets on the morrow, that's certain.

Ah! was there anything more cruel than love's suspense?

A happy thought comes to him; he'll telegraph her. He wrote her two letters on the train, one on reaching his destination, and yet another as a stimulus to digestion before dinner, and a long one to go out on the midnight flyer.

He had written as postscript in each one: "Answer, darling." But darling seemed to pay no heed.

No lover away from his darling can attend to business quite as well if the letter he longs for fails him. No matter how little of interest a sweetheart has to write about, it always assumes great importance to the distant one who awaits it with all love's eagerness. The girl who imagines her absent lover is having a fine time among new found friends does not judge the situation aright. The last two words of a man's letter reveal more than all that has preceded it, were he to write half a score of pages.

All the longing of his heart and soul goes into those words:

"Answer, darling!"

The sweetheart who does not have time or opportunity to write her absent one a four page missive should write him at least a few lines (if he pleads thus for it) each day or so.

Many a lover has been almost as fond of a girl's letters, if they be bright, sweet, and wholesome, as of the girl herself, for does not every written word breathe to him the spirit of her devotion? No one is so much alone as among strangers. A written line from one held dear is a treasure beyond price.

Sometimes it is only a word or so that reveals the wealth of love the writer's heart holds. And as he reads, the lover hungers for her nearer, dearer presence, if he loves truly.

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No. Don't Marry Her.

Dear Miss Libbey: I am a gentleman of 32 years of age and am deeply in love with a little fairy of a girl of 16. She is the dream of my life. I love her! My dear Miss Libbey, pen and paper can't possibly describe my love for this dainty bit of girlhood. Now, what I want to know is, shall I ask her to marry me immediately? My heart prompts me to do so, but my high social standing prevents it, to a certain extent. Miss Libbey, your advice will settle this case. But as you decide, remember, I love her. G. M. P.

No, do not ask her immediately. In all probability she would marry you. Pick out some one nearer your own age.

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Bachelor Girls.

Dear Miss Libbey: I have read with much interest your articles and advice to "wounded hearts," and noticed the article under the heading, "He Wants to Get Married," in this morning's edition of THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.

Now, my dear Miss Libbey, I am very much interested in this particular case, as well as in the office force of young ladies among whom I am daily associated. There are about thirty "bachelor girls" in our department, and every one of them is an intelligent business woman, but they all declare they would rather be a housewife than be in their present position. I am just wondering whether it would not be possible for you to furnish this gentleman's address in order that we may learn to know him better? B. G.

I am exceedingly sorry, but I am not able to do as you request.

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He Is Doubtful.

Dear Miss Libbey: I am much interested in a young lady in another city, but have never indicated to her by any spoken or written word that our friendship might possibly develop into affection and love. We have corresponded regularly for some years, and I think we have both enjoyed one another's letters. Recently I heard through a friend that she was engaged to a man in her home town. I wrote and congratulated her and she replied and denied that she was engaged and insisted that I come out to see her. I never thought so much of her as I did when I found she was engaged, and I haven't really had any peace of mind since, but I believe my friend and don't think under the circumstances that I should go to see her. What do you think about it? REGINALD.

No reason on earth, that I can see, that you should not go and see her if you wish to do so.

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She Doesn't Like Her Present.

Dear Miss Libbey: For the last two years I have kept company with a young man of 27, who I know loves me. I thought a good deal of him until Christmas day, when I was much disappointed with the present he gave me, which I think is more fit for an actress than for a plain girl like I am. I do not use powder or salve of any kind; these two articles are included in the set. Do you consider it an insult? Would it be proper if I return it to him? Will you suggest the proper thing for me to do? MARY.

My dear Mary, I am afraid you're inclined to be peevish. It is a most difficult matter for a man to select a gift, and your present was probably bought at the suggestion of some saleswoman he consulted. You would be exceedingly rude if you act as you contemplate doing.

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She's Proud.

Dear Miss Libbey: I am 20 years old and in love with a man eight years by senior. Now I know (with a woman's intuition) that he has been in love with me for a long time, but on account of my aloofness of manner he has not had the courage to tell me so. However, I have now become very humble and I'd like to have you tell me how to let him see my willingness to hear those sweet words from him. I cannot forget my pride. ANXIOUS.

Be interested in what he does and says. Consult him on important and unimportant questions and let him see that you have great respect for his opinion. Don't throw yourself at him.

Economical Housekeeping.

BY JANE EDDINGTON.

Spareribs, Pork Balls, Etc.

STUFFED SPARERIBS.—Take one and three-quarters pounds of spareribs, wash, and sprinkle with salt and pepper. Make a stuffing of two cupfuls of bread crumbs, into which work one minced onion, salt, pepper, and sugar to taste, one-half teaspoon of sage, a small piece of butter, one beaten egg, and one apple chopped fine. Put the stuffing on one-half of the meat and the other half on top of the stuffing. Baste the sides together and put in roasting pan with plenty of fat. When a little brown, sprinkle flour on the spareribs. Add two cups of water and salt and pepper to taste. Baste with gravy as often as possible until spareribs are thoroughly done.—Edith Lovgren, 3653 North Maple Square avenue.

Roast Spareribs with Browned Potatoes.—Put one and a half pounds of spareribs in a shallow roasting pan with one cup of water. Pare four good sized old potatoes and put them into the pan with the meat. In half an hour turn meat and potatoes, reduce the heat somewhat, and cover the pan. About an hour in a moderate oven will be required.—Mrs. T. O. Swiney, Davenport, Ia.

Baked Sparerib with Apple Dressing.—Buy a small piece of spareribs, as lean as possible, split through the center, and, after washing, cut into small pieces. Tie a piece of apple in each piece, forming little "rolls." Season with salt and pepper and when all the pieces have been placed in roasting pan sprinkle a little flour over them. After they are browned well, add a half cup of water and baste often. Roast until well done.—Mrs. John Lindvall, 1246 West Fifty-ninth street.

Sauerkraut and Spareribs.—Put one quart of kraut over fire with barely enough water to cover it. Let boil slowly one and a half hours, then add one and a half pounds of spareribs and one large potato grated. Mix potato well with kraut and cook another hour and a half. Kraut cooked merely one hour is an inferior dish, but cooked as described is a dish fit for a king.—Catherine Wey, 450 West Sixty-second street.

Spareribs and Onion Dressing.—Make a pocket of spareribs by sewing them together. Fill pocket with following dressing: One loaf stale bread cut in small pieces, one large onion chopped fine moistened with cold water, and seasoned with salt and pepper to taste. A little sage may be added. Bake in oven for one hour.—T. E. Rooney, 707 Monticello avenue.

Roast Spareribs.—Put a pound and a half of fresh spareribs in a roasting pan and sprinkle with salt and pepper. Add water and baste often till well done.—Mrs. N. Trivess, Morgan Park, Ill.

Stuffed Pork Balls.—Buy 30 cents' worth of pork steak, cut it into four equal pieces, and fry on one side until slightly brown. Remove the meat from a pan on to a plate and let it get cool. Make a stuffing of two cups of bread crumbs, one tablespoon of butter, one-half teaspoon of sage, and one small grated onion. Make the meat into four balls with the dressing inside and hold in place with wooden toothpicks. Put the balls back in the pan, sprinkle with salt and pepper, add a cup of hot water, cover, and cook in a moderate oven one hour. Remove the cover and let the balls brown; then take up on a hot platter and make a brown gravy to serve with them.—Mrs. March Green, Grinnell, Ia.

Pork Balls.—One pound of pork shoulder, one-half pound of round steak. Put through a meat chopper, add salt and pepper and a little sage, form in cakes, and fry brown.—Mrs. N. Trivess, Morgan Park, Ill.

Pork Paddies.—Take 15 cents' worth of fresh pork trimmings and put through food chopper. Add two chopped onions, four rolled crackers, and season with salt, pepper, and a little sage.—Mrs. Swanfield, Oak Park, Ill.

Round About Chicago.

A Decline in Art.

BY RICHARD HENRY LITTLE.

GENEVIEVE, which is not at all like her real name, hailed the organizing of a grand opera company in Chicago with the greatest joy. Genevieve had a voice that all the faculty in the musical college told her was of surpassing range and quality and that the stage was clamoring for her. But Genevieve had been a year or two at boarding school, had had her picture in the society column when she was one of the bridesmaids at Sybil Splash's wedding, and consequently she could not, she simply could not, go into comic opera.

Genevieve admitted that comic opera was a fairly lucrative field, it was very popular with the masses, but it was not art. Genevieve stood firmly, absolutely, and all the time for art. She had thought once that perhaps she was letting her pride and vaunting ideals interfere with the glorious career of a future queen of song even though the queen should have reached her throne through the lane labeled "Comic Opera."

So she applied once for a position with a comic opera company that was being organized in Chicago. And her artistic ideals were terribly jolted. A number of young women sat around waiting to have their voices tried and they chewed gum and talked in a flippant, slangy fashion that horrified Genevieve. She spoke to the young woman next her and asked her if she loved art for art's sake, and the young woman said it was the surest thing you know, kiddo, but she couldn't see that art thing with a spy glass if there wasn't at least eighteen dollars in it for us chorus ladies. Genevieve shuddered, but went up to the stage manager and said she would accept the prima donna role. The stage manager rudely told her to break a raw egg in her shoe and beat it. It's a wonder they didn't have to call the ambulance for Genevieve, but she managed to ride home in a taxicab.

Then Herr Dippel discovered Chicago and led grand opera out into the western wilderness. Genevieve was delighted. She hoped that small parts in the various operas would be given her, but she was willing to sing in the chorus. She would have been charmed to clean Mary Garden's shoes or to act as nurse maid to Carolina White's poodle dog, for that matter. For Genevieve worshiped at the shrine of art and no service would have been too humble for her to have performed before that altar. She secured a place in the chorus.

And so, then, she was actually going to be part of the great structure to be built up in Chicago which in time would lead stiff necked barbarians to see the evil of Casey Jones or the Yiddisher Rag and bring them up into the sunbathed heights of Wagner and Verdi and Puccini. She would stand on the very stage with all the crowned heads of grand opera, and sometime Mary Garden would whirl around in the middle of a rehearsal and, dashing back to the chorus, excitedly exclaim, "Whose golden voice do I hear? Who sang that high G?"

Then Genevieve would step forward and say, very modestly, "Please, it is I." Then would the great diva bend graciously down and kiss her on the forehead and say, "My child, your voice makes mine sound like a grasshopper rubbing his south legs together. Take my place tonight, beloved, and sing the prima donna role in 'Thais.'"

Genevieve was sure that walking in the atmosphere of art, breathing art, living art, she would reach heights of which she had never dreamed. She shuddered to think that she had ever been base enough to have even considered for a moment such a dreadful thing as comic opera. So she went into the grand opera chorus.

The cosmopolitan character of the chorus pleased her. It was largely composed of Italians, but there are some Germans, a few French, and the girls who had to admit with regret that they were American born. Genevieve sought the society of the Italians, because the Italians are such a truly musical race. She was much distressed that the American girls spoke of the Italians as "wops." Also they contemptuously termed Italian opera "wop op'ry." It seemed a sacrilege. Also the American girls generally did not take grand opera as seriously as they should have done. The rehearsals for the various productions were somewhat hurried, and the American girls said they didn't have time to commit all that wop lingo to memory.

Genevieve worked piously and conscientiously to commit the glorious words of the great operas, and it pained her to a degree to hear the version the American girls gave of the chorus number in "Il Trovatore."

The English equivalent of the words of the composer are:

"Have compassion upon a soul departing,
For that abode from whence there's no returning.
Thy forgiveness, O, power divine imparting
Let him not fall a prey to endless burning."

Genevieve sang the exact words of the score, "Miserere d'un alma gia vicina," but she almost fainted during the performance to realize that the girl right next to her was interpolating her own version of the "Have compassion upon a soul departing" chorus.

The girl was singing:

"O spaghetti and macaroni, and noodles, la la.
Campanini is sore because we're off key;
Three cheers for the Mafia, let's join the Black Hand,
America was a nation when Italy was a pup."

Genevieve tried to shut out the hateful sounds and inclined her head in the other direction, but some of the girls on that side were merrily caroling: "How dry I am, how dry I am, nobody knows how dry I am."

Genevieve expostulated vehemently when the chorus went off stage and said the American girls should be ashamed of themselves. That foreigners wouldn't do that way. They loved their art.

"O, art your grandmother," replied the chorus girl. "That Dutch girl that stands next to me was singing 'Du Wacht Am Rhein,' and the wops were singing an ode to Mamma Galli. People out in front don't understand this wop stuff anyhow, and what difference does it make what we sing, just so we're all different? A whole lot of language all mixed up sounds more like wop op'ry than the real words would. Think it over."

Genevieve kept her artistic ideals until the company went to St. Louis. There an excited crowd of Italian chorus men ate too much spaghetti or drank too much of the pink ink that goes with it, or something—anyhow, the Mafia spirit became manifest, and during the debate the mob surged against the dressing rooms and broke in the doors. The stage manager met Genevieve in the hallway and asked her if she knew what the trouble was.

"O, it's a bunch of those wops," said Genevieve. "This high art stuff's gone to their heads. I don't blame 'em. Three cheers for Puccini, and a rope to hang him!"

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American Association Magnates Fail to Adopt New Constitution.

ANNUAL SESSION IS BRIEF.

Only Three Games to a Series and Action Against "Joke" Lineups Is Ordered.

At the annual meeting of the American association yesterday at the Congress hotel, T. M. Chivington was reelected president for one year, the present constitution was not touched, and the invasion of Chicago and other major league cities received a dose of cold water, merely for the reason that the magnates refused to discuss such a momentous matter. It was one of the shortest sessions on record.

There was considerable argument before the meeting as to whether President Chivington should be reelected for one, three, or five years. W. R. Armour of Toledo, it was understood, was willing to give the present incumbent a three or five year term and went into the meeting with that idea in mind, which would have caused a deadlock. The Cantillon forces of four votes, however, won him over to their standard, and Mr. Chivington received only a one year term. The election, which was unanimous, also carried with it the offices of secretary and treasurer. W. R. Armour was reelected vice president.

Constitution Not Discussed.

The new constitution, which was reported to be a bone of contention, was entirely forgotten, or rather was put under the table during the meeting. President Chivington said that had the matter come up for discussion, it would have taken perhaps a couple of days to get the document in a satisfactory state to suit everybody.

Another angle that appears to have some ground is that the agreement between the American association and the National association of baseball clubs will expire next fall and the magnates figured that there was no use of adopting new rules to govern their body, and then have to adopt something new next fall if there is a difference of opinion on what the major leagues will be asked to concede.

It was agreed to have a 168 game schedule. President Chivington was appointed a committee of one to do the drafting for the sanction of the league magnates. Mr. Chivington declared that the double header proposition would be ignored, and that only single games would be listed, except where it was impossible to arrange otherwise. The season will open on April 12 and only three games will be played in a series in each town. This is an arrangement that never has been tried by any of the major leagues. This will mean that each team, instead of visiting opponents' grounds three times, will have to do the camping out act four times each year. While the mileage for each team will be increased, it is figured that the interest of the fans will be enlivened to the extent of better patronage if they can see the different teams on the circuit more often.

Blow to "Joke" Lineups.

Burlesqueing on the part of managers and players received a knockout blow when the magnates passed a resolution that any manager or captain of any other party in charge of a team putting a "joke" nine on the field and not giving the fans a "run for their money" would be fined $300 and suspended fifteen days without pay.

It also was decided that newspapers in the different towns would be allowed telephone lines to be run into the parks on the circuit after receiving permission from President Chivington.

Owner Grayson of the Louisville club was on hand early and aided by Manager Del Howard endeavored to put across a trade with the St. Paul club, but Boss Mike Kelley refused to "bite" and the deal was declared off just before the latter caught his train for the north. Louisville wanted Catcher Spencer, but could not produce enough material to get Manager Kelley to "loosen up."

It also was reported that "Red" Kellfer of Washington had been sold to Minneapolis, but this was denied by Mr. Cantillon, who was looking after the interests of last year's champions. The proposition on the face of it looks good when it is considered that Altiser went to Cincinnati via the draft route last fall and that Jimmy Williams, who has been chosen chief clerk of the Colorado legislature, may make up his mind that politics has been his long suit, a thousand miles, so far as a sinecure job is concerned.

"Germany" Schaefer, who has been a pal of Kellfer ever since he has been used in the shuffle of ball players, declared that it would be impossible that "Red" could play in the northern city unless he (the comedian) accompanied him. Which, according to Mike Cantillon, might be a fact.

Jennings Mixes in Throng.

Benedick Jennings, Scranton lawyer, manager of the Detroit Tigers, and genial good fellow, was early about the hotel corridors looking for something to come his way or ready to listen to a trade that might strengthen his team. The name of Tom Jones was mentioned many times, and it is understood that waivers had been asked on the veteran in an effort to consummate a deal with Milwaukee whereby Tom would figure in a trade for some youngsters. There is a stone in the way, however. St. Louis, where Tommy had his "bringing up," refused to waive, and if Detroit wants to lose the first baseman the Browns probably will grab him.

Most of the magnates were principals in a quick getaway, Owner Grayson of Louisville being the only one who declared for a temporary residence in Chicago.

HEDGES WEARS $30,000 SMILE.

Owner of Browns Reported as Beneficiary of Disagreement Among Members of Purchasing Syndicate.

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 12.—[Special.]—Once again R. L. Hedges will remain president of the St. Louis Browns, and Rhoderick Wallace, the Brown's veteran shortstop, doubtless will be their manager.

There is no doubt that the syndicate of St. Louisans who had negotiated to buy out Hedges fell down badly on the whole affair on account of a wrangle between themselves over a division of the stock, and thereby may forfeit their first payment of $30,000.

Hedges said this afternoon, smiling broadly: "From all I can learn it appears that the syndicate of local gentlemen were unable to get together on certain little points of importance. As to the amount of money paid me in the deal and what I intend doing about the same, I have nothing to say."

KING COLE FORGETS HIS LINES.

Fans Enjoy Temporary Stage Fright of Cub Pitcher in First Local Appearance.

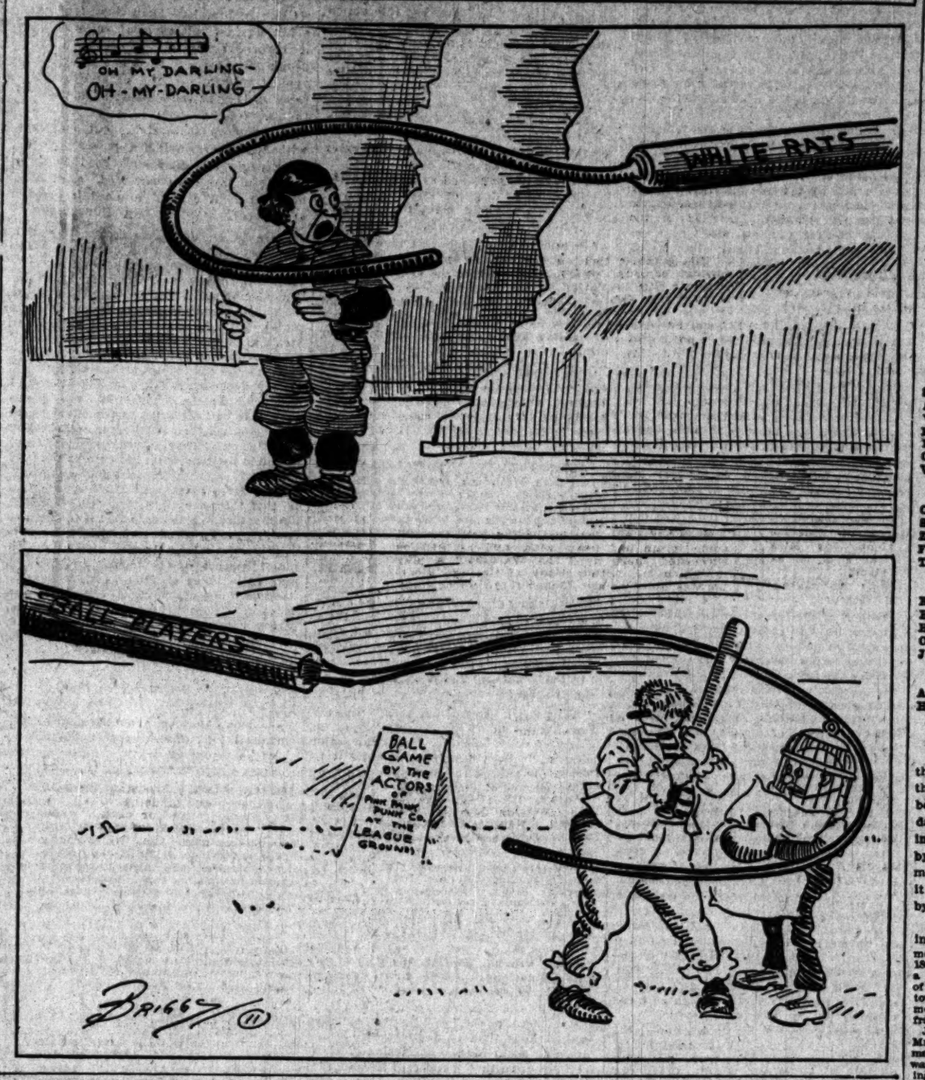
King Cole, the only pitcher that ever started the Cubs toward victory in the world's series last fall, made his local debut as a thespian last night at the Majestic theater. The house at the two night performances was crowded to the limit and just as King Cole made good on that memorable day last fall he made good as an actor. He was ably assisted by a partner in the role of an Irishman, who didn't need the makeup to show that he was genuine. Mr. O'Toole was a life saver when the king forgot his lines. The elongated twirler, who was called "spare ribs" by his partner, was given hearty support by the audience, even if he did get stage fright.

M'INTYRE IS SOLD TO COMISKEY.

Announcement of Purchase by White Sox President Is Made by Navin of Detroit.

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 12.—[Special.]—The sale of Matty McIntyre to the Chicago White Sox was announced by President Navin tonight. The transaction was cash, but the amount not disclosed. Manager Jennings has tried to trade McIntyre several times, but, although Matty never realized the phenomenal form which characterized his work before he broke an ankle in 1907, he has been rated too good to be traded for a second rater. The deal is taken to mean that Delos Lake, a right hand batter who twirls has been signed by Manager Jennings, will land a regular berth next spring.

IT'S A POOR HOOK THAT WON'T WORK BOTH WAYS.



NEGRO READY FOR KAUFMANN

Johnson Says He's Willing to Fight Al at Any Time.

WISHES SUCCESS TO MORRIS.

That Is, Until He Is Matched to Meet Oklahoman for the Title.

New York, Jan. 12.—[Special.]—Jack Johnson, who is here for a day or two, denies he is in a secret understanding with Al Kaufmann to fight in London under Hugh McIntosh's management, but at the same time says Kaufmann is the best heavyweight in the world, barring himself, of course.

Johnson says Kaufmann would "eat up" such men as Jeannette, McVey, and Langford, simply because of his superior knowledge of boxing and his splendid physique. As for Bill Lang of Australia, Johnson says Kaufmann can beat that fellow in a few rounds, and maybe a half dozen.

"I don't believe Kaufmann wants to fight me," says the heavyweight champion. "I hear he challenged me recently just to boost his show, and I don't think he will be ready to talk business for a long time. But whenever he is ready I am.

"No, there wouldn't be any interest in a fight between me and Langford, because as I said some time ago, two negroes will not draw. That's why I think in time there'll be further interest in the fight between me and Kaufmann. If Kaufmann won't fight, I hope this fellow Morris out in Oklahoma will amount to something. I'd like to lick just one more white man before I retire."

GLEASON TO AWAIT JOHNSON

Reno Promoter Hopes to Sign Negro Champion for Bout in London Against Kaufmann.

Jack Gleason, who with Tex Rickard promoted the Johnson-Jeffries fight at Reno last July, and who is anxious to match the champion with Al Kaufmann in England during coronation week for a $50,000 purse, is in town, and yesterday said he would remain in the city until Johnson returns from the east at the end of the week. According to Gleason, he and his partner, Harry Frazee, the local theatrical man, stand ready to post a forfeit to bind the match, and Gleason said the fighters would not have to accept a referee on the other side, but could agree on an arbiter from this country. Gleason is confident the match will be made.

Packey Arrives in New York.

New York, Jan. 12.—Packey McFarland has arrived in New York from Kansas City, where he outpointed Johnny McCarthy in ten rounds Monday night. He at once started training for his ten round bout with Jack Goodman at the Fairmount Athletic club Tuesday night. He hopes later to get a chance to box Battling Nelson ten rounds before and then probably will go to England to meet Freddie Welch.

CHAMPION GOTCH, IN CHICAGO, DRAWS UP COURSE FOR HACK.

Wrestling King Says "Russian Lion" Must Defeat Zbyszko and Mahmout to Meet Him.

Frank Gotch, world's wrestling champion, arrived in the city yesterday from Humboldt, Ia., where the mat king was married to Miss Gladys Oestrich on Wednesday night. Gotch, upon his arrival, said he had won the greatest match of his career, and now is ready to take care of the many grapplers who have been hurling challenges at him. The champion is bitter toward Hackenschmidt, the Russian Lion, whom Gotch accused of using his name in many unfair ways.

"Who has Hackenschmidt beaten since he came to this country?" was the first question Gotch asked. "He has beaten Dr Roller, but has not met another first class wrestler since I beat him in 1908. Before he ever gets a match with me he will have to show the American public that he is deserving of a match by beating such well known wrestlers as Mahmout and Zbyszko. It is true he has been in America for a long time, but in this period he has not met a good man.

"In the face of all this I will not give him a match until he has beaten Mahmout whom I believe to be the best wrestler in America today. I am not crazy to get back into the game, but if any one thinks he can match the champion with Hackenschmidt beats the best man in this country I will meet him and beat him more decisively than I did when I took the championship away from him.

"I did not give 'Farmer' Burns any authority to turn the title over to Mahmout, and I want the public to know that I still retain the wrestling crown and will wrestle Hackenschmidt when he has shown the public and myself that he is deserving of a match."

TODAY'S RACE ENTRIES.

AT JACKSONVILLE.

First race, breeders' purse; 13-16 mile—Ellenette, 103; Clarksburg, 106; Woolspun, French Girl, Miss Marjorie, Hazel Thorpe, Queen Lead, 109; Husky, Pocotaligo, 114.

Second race, 11-16 mile—Leontine, 94; Kenmare Queen, 100; Grandissimo, 103; Francis Ray, Aunt Kate, Congo, Belle Mawre, Henry Crosscradle, 108; King of Yolo 105; Detroit, 108.

Third race, ¾ mile—Deceivable, 102; Oakley, 104; Premier, Missive, 105; Vansee, Scrimmage, 107; Real Gem, Bertie, 108; Gold Cap, 110; Double Five, 111; Bad News, 11., 112.

Fourth race, ¾ mile—Miss Nett, 96; Mindinette, Ivabel, 99; U. See It, Cherry Valley, 103; Mexicana, 106; Csana, Florimel, 107.

Fifth race, 11-16 mile—Inferno Queen, 96; English Esther, 102; Flarny, Fond Heart, 103; Herpes, Tom Holland, 107; Sureget, 109; Joe Rose, 110; Begone, 110; Strike Out, 111.

Sixth race, mile and 70 yards—Louis Reil, 96; Lady Esther, 97; O 'Em 98; Ed Keck, Sigo, 99; Outpost, 100; Falcada, Canopian, 104; Billy Pullman, 106; Henry Hutchison, 109; Duke of Bridgewater, Mique O'Brien, 110; First Peep, 112.

AT OAKLAND.

First race, futurity course—Dutch Rock, 114; St. Heller 111; Lescar, 110; Meda, 109; Altarec, 106; Louise B. 106; Frank Ferris, 103; Lucille Manley, Pleasant, Don't, Osmudena, Clara Hampton, 101.

Second race, ¾ mile—Dareington, 119; Waner, Arthur Hyman, 116; Ilex, 115; Canique 113; Lord Clinton, 112; Godfather, Lisaro, Prudent, 107; Ed G. 94.

Third race, 1¼ mile—Captain Burnett, 106; Merlingo, 103; Star Actor, Marigol, Azo 100.

Fourth race, 13-16 mile—No Quarter, Bambro, 112; Meltondale, 111; Pickaninny, Ayame, Jest Golden Agnes 40.

Fifth race, mile and 20 yards—Fulletta, Altamor, Military Man, 110; Footloose, Titlis, 107; Orilene, 105; Sonia Voltrome, 100; Clako, 87; Academist, 83; Summertime, Sue Layton, 81.

Sixth race, ¾ miles—Wap, 116; Quick Trip, 109; Alaie, 107; Ketchel, Descendant, 105; Hal 104; Gypsy Girl, 103; Queen Alamo, 102; Aftertime, 96; Miss Georgie 92.

SCHAEFER LOSES FIRST GAME IN CHICAGO TO MORNINGSTAR.

Son of Wizard, Evidently Nervous Because of Initial Appearance, Drops Contest, 400 to 150.

Ora Morningstar of New York defeated Jacob Schaefer Jr., son of the late wizard, 400 to 150, in their handicap match at 18-2 at Mussey's rooms last night. The youngster, who evidently was nervous at making his first professional appearance in his home town, did not play up to his usual form, missing a number of comparatively easy shots and being unable to control the ivories when he did get them in position.

Morningstar, who averaged 13 1-3, played fine billiards towards the finish, his high run of 99 being made by beautiful close work. Schaefer averaged 5 5-29.

The match drew a number of billiard players who were anxious to see the son of the former champion perform. Among these were William Castro, Joe Cayron, George Sutton, the one armed player; Fred Conklin, Calvin Demarest, and James Shea.

It was the consensus of opinion that young Schaefer would make good, although he did not perform well last night, evidently being over anxious. After the match Morningstar and Schaefer gave an exhibition of fancy shots. They will play again tonight at 8 o'clock. Scores:

MORNINGSTAR—0, 15, 11, 7, 5, 0, 3, 7, 31, 41, 9, 52, 0, 0, 0, 4, 7, 0, 1, 7, 4, 0, 7, 92, 49, 0, 0, 1, 22, 25—Total, 400; average, 13 1-4.

SCHAEFER—0, 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 13, 0, 0, 1, 2, 1, 9, 17—Total, 150; average, 5 5-29.

Kansas City Cueist Is Victor.

Boston, Mass., Jan. 12.—Kansas City defeated Boston in a three cushion carom match of the National billiard league tournament tonight, 50 to 40. Backus of Kansas City made a high run of 6, while Mosser, who represented Boston, made a high run of 3. The play will be continued tomorrow.

Philadelphia Beats Brooklyn.

New York, Jan. 12.—[Special.]—Philadelphia defeated Brooklyn in tonight's game of the Intercity three cushion tournament now in progress at the Knickerbocker billiard academy in Brooklyn. Joe Mayer, representing the visitors, outpointed Al Garnana, and his substitute, David Lauterbach, representing the locals, 50 to 29.

Rickard Draws Gun in Fight.

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 12.—[Special.]—After a fistic battle in the lobby of the St. Francis hotel, in which both were badly pummeled, Tex Rickard, the fight promoter, drew a revolver on Gordon Gurney, a mining man of Nevada. Before Rickard could use the weapon the combatants were separated. The fight started over a derogatory remark about Nevada made by Rickard, which Gurney resented.

Conley to Fight Tommy Dixon.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 12.—Frankie Conley of Kenosha, Wis., was matched tonight to fight Tommy Dixon of Memphis ten rounds here on Jan. 23. They will weigh in at 124 pounds.

Jensen Wins Ice Race.

The second race of a series of one mile handicaps at the Ice palace last night was won by Lee Jensen. The time was 3:44.

FALLS MAR OAKLAND SPORT

Favorites in Two Races Come to Grief in Slippery Going.

JOCKEYS ESCAPE INJURIES.

Donovan and La Cazadora Victims of Spills at Emeryville Track.

Oakland, Cal., Jan. 12.—The sport at Emeryville today was marred by accidents, favorites falling in the first two races. While running prominently in the opening event Donovan, the first choice, slipped in the sloppy going and went down, Kirschbaum escaping injury. La Cazadora was an odds on choice for the 2 year old event, but was bumped at the start and fell. J. McIntyre was stunned, but soon revived. Summaries:

First race, ¾ mile—Judge Henderson [Fischer], 8 to 1, won; Swagerlator [Pickens], 15 to 1, second; Faneuil Hall [Taplin], 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:16. Gossiper II., Platoon, Jessup Burn, Reene W., Edna Stewart, and Grace G. ran. Donovan fell.

Second race, ¾ mile, 2 year olds—Mills [Glass], 3 to 1, won; Acgulu [Scovill], 3 to 1, second; Billy Hancock [Coburn], 60 to 1 third. Time, :37. Lavender Lass and F. L. Proctor ran. La Cazadora fell.

Third race, 1 mile—Michael Angelo [Taplin], 5 to 2, won; Tendyrnion II. [Garner], 5 to 1, second; Capt. Burnett [Riddle], 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:44. Lotta Creed and Dahlgren ran.

Fourth race, 11-16 mile—Daddy Gip [Glass], 5 to 1, won; Jim Basey [W. Gargan], 6 to 5, second; Roy Junior [Garner], 9 to 1, third. Time, 1:07 4-5. Flying Potatoes, Mike Kilkely, and Dieudonne ran.

Fifth race 1 mile and 70 yards—J. C. Clem [Coburn], 12 to 1, won; Onatassa [Taylor], 15 to 1, second; Jim Cafferata [Garner], 2 to 1, third. Time, 1:48. Charley Paine, Maass, Nettie Traver, Miss Officious, Incentive, and Harry Rogers ran.

Sixth race, 1 mile and 70 yards—Wineberry [Garner], 11 to 5, won; Camera [Rosen], 7 to 2, second; Lady McNally [Selden], 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:49 4-5. Ben Uncas, Prince of Castile, Cataline, Mossback, Buena, Kogo, L. C. Ackersley, Duvie Andrew, and Swell Girl ran.

JACKSONVILLE RACE RESULTS.

First race, ¾ mile—Peep Over, 107 [Musgrave], 7 to 1, won; Elmeta Hamilton, 102 [McTaggart], 8 to 5, second; Mason, 102 [Goose,] 8 to 5, third. Time, 1:13 3-5. G. L. Doyle, Song of Rocks, Guns Hill, Royal Lodge, Myrtle Marion, Eventide, and McLeod F. ran.

Second race, ¾ mile—I'm There, 100 [McCahey], 6 to 5, won; Allonby, 107 [Peak], 20 to 1, second; Sam Matthews, 104 [McCabe], 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:15. Lydia Lee, Lavender Lad, Rake, Ruby Knight, Elizabeth O., Kempton Park, Semi-Quaver, Woodspan ran.

Third race, 11-16 mile—Darling, 103½ [Loftus], 11 to 10, won; Pianutess, 106 [McTaggart], 4 to 1, second; Lady Ormicant, 100 [Obert], 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:07 3-5. Attentive, Grenada, Moncrief, Double Five, Monte Fox, Red Rob, Fort Worth ran.

Fourth race, 1 mile—Leamence, 106 [Davis], 7 to 2, won; Nick Stoner, 109 [Gross], 17 to 5, second; Billy Vandeveer, 94 [Sweeney], 25 to 1, third. Time, 1:40 3-5. Orbicular, Longhand, Lesh, Redwine ran.

Fifth race, ¾ mile—Ida D., 102 [Hopkins], even, won; Casque, 106 [Fain], 3 to 1, second; Sylvestris, 101 [McTaggart], 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:13. Mapleton, Starboard, May Amelia, Percy Taylor, Rosebury II., Havre, Mon Ami ran.

Sixth race, 1 mile—Minta, 107 [Rutwell], 9 to 2, won; Discontent, 102 [Musgrave], 9 to 1, second; Americaneer, 97 [Gordon], 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:42. Detect, Mellis S., Golden, Gavotte ran.

JUAREZ RACE RESULTS.

First race, ¾ mile—Erfolg [Murphy], 20 to 1, won; Queen Bee [Rice], 6 to 5, second; Skillute [Keogh], 6 to 1, third. Time, :36 2-5. Jack Wainwright, Thistle Rose, Decide, Defy, Louder, and Sayville ran.

Second race, ¾ mile—Antigo [McGee], 12 to 1, won; Silk [Murphy], 3 to 2, second; McNally [Rice], 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:13 2-5. Uralla, Pansell Heknows, Balrad, Bonnie Prince Charlie, and Minnolette ran.

Third race, ¾ mile—Ned Carmack [Johnson] 7 to 2, won; Bellflower [Molesworth], 15 to 5, second; Gunston [Benedetto], 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:14 2-5. Bandonia, Cardinal Sarto, Billy Mayhue, Pusileer, and Banthel ran. Personality left at post.

Fourth race, ½ mile—Spohn [Molesworth], 3 to 1, won; Harrigan [Murphy], 7 to 10, second; General Marchmont [McCullough], 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:26 2-5. Only three starters.

Fifth race 11-16 mile—Cat [Murphy], 16 to 5, won; Mockler [Rice], 5 to 2, second; Du Bois [Molesworth], 6 to 5 third. Time, 1:06 4-5. Commendation, Lee's Friar, Coed, Union Jack, Scopa ran.

Sixth race 1 1-16 miles—Buna [Molesworth], 6 to 5, won; Little Marchmont [Reynolds], 2 to 1, second; Col. Bronston [Anderson], 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:48. Clamor, Ed Holly, and Vesme ran.

New York Wins Cue Game.

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 12.—Leon Magnus of New York tonight defeated Vincent Bottu and P. E. Maupome of St. Louis in the first game of the New York-St. Louis series of the National Amateur Three Cushion Billiard league tournament. The score was 50 to 34 in eighty-seven innings.

IN THE WAKE OF THE NEWS.

BY HEK.

SOME COMB—ALL—YR.

The Great Prize Fight Between John Morrissey and the Russian Sailor.

Foreword: Dear Doctor—The enclosed Rubaiyat of the Prize Ring—if you will please me excuse—which a friend of mine in the ballad business in Erin tells me he has sung with great effect at the many open air concerts he gave on the streets during the last few weeks, will you doctin [Gaelic], make you breathe deeply. There are so many flashing facets to this ode, epic or opus of a new unknown bard, so much of a magnificent mo go leor [likewise Gaelic] about the meter, and the English is so chased all over that I hesitate to follow out my original intention of reviewing it at length it deserves. Pardon my not linning my rea monicker.

HAN GEE.

We append the first three stanzas of the remarkable work. There are a dozen in all. The others we will case off gradually, barring police interference:

Attend ye scop of Erin's Isle, your attention now I crave,
Till I relate the praises of an Irish hero brave;
Concerning this great fight took place all on the other day
Between a Russian sailor and gallant Morrissey.

In Turedelphiago we go in, in South America,
The Russian challenged Morrissey and this to him did say:
"I hear you are an Irishman wherein the belt I see;
What do you think of your consent to have a round with me?"

Out spoke gallant Morrissey with heart both stout and true,
Saying: "Here I am an Irishmen that never was subdued;
For I can fall a Yankee or any Russian bear,
In honor of old Paddy's land the laurel green I wear."

[To Be Continued.]

It used to be quite simple for one to professionalize one's self, but the sins that one may commit and still remain an unsullied amateur in the sight, or rather in the operation of the law have become mighty scarce. It is may view this with comfort or alarm as it suits your disposition. One can make a business of one's game, its tributaries or its by-products—can have no other visible means of support than those that depend directly upon his game—and still be eligible to amateur competition. Take golf, which seems to be productive of "good living." Practically the only way one can become a professional is by openly declaring one is a professional. All who have not so declared are accepted as amateurs.

A. D.—Reckon the "old fashioned ballplayer who used to tend bar in the winter" still is tending bar, if he hasn't bought the place.

'TIS RATHER CONVENIENT.

Webster, we thought, had coined the last word,
But of mutts, mugs, and monickers he'd never heard.
Bill'me, old scout, you are surely a wis
To run all this in as legitimate biz.

A. R. C.

We sometimes wonder if the ballplayers ever notice it themselves that it is the hero who makes himself scarce and inconspicuous in the off season who gets the big reception when the grass returns to the diamond. The normal fan has precious little use for plain clothes pooears.

There is no occasion to become fussed up over the recent offer of a purse for a fight between Johnson and Kaufmann to take place in London. It rings hollow. If a contest of those dimensions and that nature is considered desirable in England it will be for the English promoters to take the initiative and not for any American adventurers. Granted that Messrs. Gleason and Frazee are sincere in their offer, and that is open to question, they are reckoning literally without their host. It might be added that the public had a surfeit of this theatrical buncombe in connection with the Johnson-Jeffries affair and is not ripe for another dose.

C. J. F., London, Ont.—It's the same Brotachi. There couldn't possibly be another.

The actor-ballplayers say they have no objection to the real actors competing for their salaries on the ball field. Peach of an argument that.

Unlike other victims or near victims of the attentions of the gentle little pill dropper, Judge Owens is quite willing to assist the police in locating the who and establishing the why. He is not afraid, evidently, of becoming personally involved in the resultant mess.

FAREWELL TO BOMBARDIER WELLS.

Back to the barrackroom, Bombardier Wells!
That'll be abaht all, until 'istory tells
Of the blooming mistike you 'ave made of your life
In thinking as 'ow you were fitted for strife.
Back to the messroom, you perishing swine!
You fooled us before, you shan't do it agine—
Gor bli'me!

PUTS FOOT ON SKATER LAMY.

Blanchard Says He Will Ask for Disqualification if Champion Asks for Big Sum.

Learning that Amateur Champion Lamy was demanding what he considered an excessive amount for expenses said to be $175, to compete in the international indoor championships at the Ice palace next Monday and Tuesday, President Blanchard of the International Skating union last night sent a warning telegram to Saranac Lake, where the young man is at present.

Blanchard's wire to the president of the Saranac Lake club follows: "It appears from Prior-Lamy correspondence that Lamy is asking exorbitant expenses to attend championship in Chicago, Cleveland, Detroit, making separate contracts with each. Unless he retracts immediately I shall call for a telegraph vote of union on professionalism and disqualify him from further amateur competition. Fix things immediately.

The Illinois Athletic club hockey team will meet the Tom Murrays at the Ice palace tonight.

Iddings Goes to Kentucky.

Harold Iddings, former half back star of the University of Chicago football team, who has coached the Miami university team for the last two years, will coach the Kentucky State track and basketball squads this season. He will return to Miami this fall, but expects to continue his coaching at some other northern institution.

SENG'S BOWLERS NIP FIRST PLACE

Gather 2,899 Pins in Five Men Event for the City Championship.

DISPLACE HARPER RYES.

Banker J. R. Netterstrom Gains Dividend Position in Singles with 658 Total.

Leaders in Pin Tourney.

FIVE MEN.

Seng's Springs	2,899	Goodfriends	2,704
Harper Ryes	2,890	Tom Palmers	2,755
W. J. Moxleys	2,855	Colonials No. 1	2,749
Breen & Kennedys	2,839	Crescents	2,744
I. A. C. No. 2	2,791	Bicuins No. 1	2,742
Centurys	2,780	Wentworths No. 1	2,736
Wentworths	2,775	Colonna club	2,725

TWO MEN.

Carmich'l-McCoy	1,376	Hradek-Danek	1,211
Stevens-Rosendal	1,352	Reich-Redpath	1,209
Eisterman-Behn	1,330	Gretzke-Kaiteux	1,206
F. and H. Rogman	1,324	Krieg-Rehrendt	1,197
Toemmel-Aifeld	1,318	Kral-Zajicek	1,195

INDIVIDUALS.

R. Kirch	676	F. Dinse	659
E. Tarsip	668	S. McRoy	649
H. Rogman	663	A. Toemmel	645
C. Labahn	660	G. Johnson	643
J. R. Nettrstrom	658	A. J. Nicolet	642

ALL EVENTS.

A. Toemmel	1,902	H. Saunders	1,843
H. Rogman	1,850	E. D. Peifer	1,838

BY J. G. DAVIS.

Seng's Springs, a team composed of five of the best bowlers in the west, went into the lead in the five men event of the city bowling championship at Flenner's yesterday, getting a total of 2,899 pins and beating the Harper Ryes, the previous leaders, by a margin of nine pins. As only ten more teams remain to shoot in this event it looks as if the title has been clinched by "Beau" Bangart and his men.

The side got away with a flying start, counting 1,035. In the second game none of the men got going. Dave Woodbury being high with 186, the total reaching 894. This left the five with a big task before them, as they were shy 961 pins of the mark of the Harper Ryes. Keeping this total within reaching distance all the way, the men were under a great strain in the closing frames.

Just when the coveted mark seemed assured, Mrosek drew the 8-10 railroad in his last frame, making it necessary for Woodbury to spare. He was equal to the occasion, hitting the 1-3 and clearing the alleys. Capt. Bangart was not in the best of form, having recently arisen from a bed of sickness.

Three other squads averaged over 900, the Wentworths No. 2 landing seventh place with 2,775 and the Colonials getting tenth with 2,749.

John R. Nettenstrom, the veteran bowler of the Bankers' league, climbed into the high dividend positions in the single event by landing in fifth position with a total of 658 pins.

Ed Greinke and F. Kalteux of the Ammerpohl league nailed eighth position in the doubles with a total of 1,208 their success coming largely through a galloping finish which netted 496 pins, Greinke counting 244 and his partner 222. Scores:

FIVE MEN.

Seng's Sp'g's.	1.	2.	3.	W'w'th	1.	2.	3.
G. B'gart	176	177	185	F. Negley	223	200	189
E. Pet'son	237	176	218	Dickey	142	166	219
J. Shaw	187	172	168	Serth	171	155	156
W. Mrosek	232	179	206	Jones	205	180	219
D. W'bury	205	198	190	Wallace	160	188	204
Totals	1033	894	970	Totals	921	889	978
Grand total			2,899	Grand total			2,775
Colon's 1.		2.	3.	W'w'th	1.	2.	3.
Stone	202	169	191	W. Negley	191	191	191
Crouse	164	160	218	Peebles	208	254	179
Mosher	197	225	200	Morgan	207	195	148
Lamson	184	213	194	Jamieson	187	195	170
Root	227	201	166	McD'id	144	201	155
Totals	814	968	967	Totals	937	966	843
Grand total			2,749	Grand total			2,726
Fountains.	1.	2.	3.	Chi. H'ts	1.	2.	3.
Karth	208	168	181	De Boldt	167	174	144
Reedy	173	192	151	Hewitt	229	180	182
Grienger	209	132	150	Bruce	146	143	147
Linn	165	210	188	Berleger	196	186	115
Bernahl	171	168	229	Ascher	162	219	209
Totals	876	835	879	Totals	861	866	797
Grand total			2,

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FOR COMFORT AND SAFETY.

A reader of THE TRIBUNE who seems to have followed developments in the Lorimer case attentively presents the following puzzle for elucidation:

"I see that Lorimer says he will deliver another speech in the senate. Why didn't he do his talking under oath before the senate committee? He attended the hearings day after day and heard all the evidence. That was the time for him to do his talking, when he might have talked under the ordinary pains and penalties of any plain citizen on the witness stand, subject to his oath and subject to cross-examination."

We do not attempt to solve our reader's problem in conduct. Perhaps Mr. Lorimer will in due time. But in the meantime it cannot be denied that, for the purposes of free and untrammeled oratory, the floor of the senate is a much more comfortable rostrum than a witness box.

Self-reputed innocence, wrapped in the cloak of senatorial courtesy, may be unconvincing, but it is comparatively safe.

PROBABLY DISREPUTABLE.

We have no doubt that little 10 year old Theodore Segel saw the robin which he reported to THE TRIBUNE, and our comment is merely to challenge the character and moral habits of that bird. It is true that we prefer to accept no robins other than those certified annually from Mont Clare. When the first robin comes he will report for duty at Mont Clare, and Mont Clare will notify the community as per its custom.

Our preference for the Mont Clare robin may be irrational, but there are so many ornithological Dr. Cooks who see robins which are not that caution has become habitual. Nevertheless, we are convinced that Theodore saw a really robin, and our speculation is merely as to the reasons for the presence of that bird in these parts at this time.

Our conclusion is that he was a roistering robin, and we suspect that he had on last summer's straw hat and outing suit. Of his character the less said the better. We look at him as tolerantly as we do at a man who is trying to make a turned up overcoat collar hide the clamoring fact that he is in evening clothes at 8 a. m.

We are convinced that Theodore's robin was on his way south and busy thinking up excuses. In a short time a skeptical Mrs. Robin no doubt will be giving ear to a story of "encountering atmospheric disturbances" or of trouble with a crank shaft, or being detained to "see about that new place we want for next summer." That robin probably woke up in a hay loft wondering what time it was and how he got there.

It is possible that we do this robin an injustice, but we fear he was going and not coming.

DISEASE AND THE WORKERS.

The report of the commission appointed by Gov. Deneen to investigate the subject of occupational diseases is not an academic document.

It is a statement of facts presented by experts after investigation.

It should be made the basis of prompt and adequate legislation at the present session of the general assembly.

It should be made the basis of voluntary action by employers of labor in the industries involved.

It should be made the basis of educational work by unions among the workers in order that there may be the necessary cooperation in correcting the filthy habits and conditions in factories and shops.

The report gives emphasis to this necessity of cooperation. For example, Dr. Hamilton points out that the prevention of lead poisoning, an evil widely prevalent, must follow two lines:

First, the prevention of dust; and, second, workmen must not eat with hands and face unwashed, nor must they go home with lead on their clothing and bodies. Tobacco chewing, which we find is generally condemned by American foremen and employers, is forbidden in all European plants where lead is handled. The plug of tobacco is often the lead powdered workman carries in his mouth, with lead smeared fingers, and passes often through a lead powdered mustache to the mouth.

Ventilation, sanitary regulations, and special safety appliances are urged, and the draft of a bill is added. This measure should have the friendly consideration of the legislature.

The report also advises the continuance of investigation and asks for a renewal of the commission and funds required to carry on its work. This is highly desirable. The expenditure involved is trifling compared to the substantial results to be obtained in the conservation of life and health among the workers. Humanity and social economy both demand this expenditure.

SPECTACULAR, BUT NOT CONVINCING.

When occasion will justify it we will sing hosannas in honor of County Judge John E. Owens loudly and joyfully, but the time for tuning up the harp and breaking forth in song has not come.

The fact that Judge Owens' acts are not pleasing to the Sullivan faction in Democracy is not to his discredit. The fact that they are pleasing to the Hearst faction is not evidence of his disinterestedness. We have had promises and protests, but performance thus far has justified nothing other than a skeptical curiosity.

Judge Owens does not resolve all doubts in his favor merely by summoning fifty or more prominent men of the city to serve as judges and clerks of election. This act has a pleasing superficial virtue, but it will not stand rubbing. The precinct election officials number thousands. Because the legislature refused to pass the amendatory acts asked for by Lewis Rinaker when he was county judge, these officials must be residents of the precincts in which they serve.

What guaranty is it of an honest count in a bad precinct of the First ward, for instance, that some well known citizen should be serving as a judge of election in a precinct in the Sixth ward, in which the fairness of elections never has been questioned?

The hundred, two hundred, three hundred or more of prominent citizens whom Judge Owens may appoint and who may qualify will remain a small minority of the total number, and in ninety-nine cases out of a hundred they will be found in precincts in which the danger of dishonesty is practically nothing.

It will do the prominent citizens good to serve. If Judge Owens could force a great many to take the active interest in politics which such service would require he would be doing well, but to set the fact of these appointments up as evidence that election methods are being reformed and that honesty is guaranteed is merely spectacular nonsense.

TO ABOLISH THE DUEL.

In the interest of our Parisian contemporaries and the gayety of nations we trust that the chamber of deputies will refuse to consider the proposed legislation against dueling.

A bill for that purpose now before the body provides that, if enacted, a duel shall become a breach of law and that both principals and seconds shall be punished by from three months to three years' imprisonment and fined from $20 to $200. It also proposes to punish any published account of a duel with a fine from $100 to $400.

The duel as practiced in France at present is one of the things which keep the world from dying of ennui. A monsieur brushes against another monsieur on the boulevard, or does not recognize him with the proper salutation, or says the cat of the wife of the second monsieur is crosseyed, or that the legitimists never again will come into power, or refuses a second glass of absinthe—eh bien! Sacre bleu! not to mention nom de chien! Calls of friends, cards exchanged, surgeons engaged, journals notified, photographers hired. Honk! honk!—all off in automobiles to racecourse. Au place, messieurs! Pose for photographers. Are the reporters present? En garde! Un, deux, trois! Two puffs of smoke and honor is satisfied.

But no duel is complete unless it is reported fully in the press. Take that sop away from the Parisian's vanity and the code is nothing. The question thus arises, What will the Paris newspaper do? In Buenos Aires the Prensa newspaper fires a cannon every time an important cablegram is received. The authorities decided that the frequent shots constituted a nuisance and imposed a fine for each detonation, but La Prensa goes on firing off its cannon and paying the fine.

Have the Paris newspapers both enterprise and money?

AN ESSENTIAL OF REFORM.

We are told that the county hospital is overrun with political pensioners who devour the food and sleep in the beds intended for genuine patients. This is discouraging for those who remember how several years ago the same unwholesome condition of things was disclosed, how there was a housecleaning, and official assurances that nothing of the kind would be allowed to happen again. We are told that the county hospital is a fire trap and the fire apparatus useless. Some years ago the public was alarmed by a similar statement. It was quieted by assurances that the fire apparatus would be put in perfect order and kept so, while the attendants were to be given a thorough fire drill training.

These are the things which make the faint hearted despair of reform except for brief intervals, while a whirlwind of popular indignation is blowing. Their faith in the merit system is shaken when they see that abuses which flourished before it was extended to the county hospital are rampant there now.

That is easily explained. The merit system has not been carried far enough. There will be a steady letting down of efficiency, a drifting back to bad old ways, unless the warden shall have the qualifications so important a position demands and shall be so far independent of county commissioners and all political influences as to turn a deaf ear to improper appeals. We must have a civil service warden to jack up constantly the civil service subordinates or the merit system will become a mere sham.

Little by little, as tenure of office becomes more secure, men are discovering their vocation in municipal offices which call for special training and qualification and are fitting themselves carefully for them. Before long, when a hospital warden is needed, there will be a civil service examination and many candidates will appear. Then we shall have scientific and fearless hospital management.

The day when a man who had been a steamfitter, plumber, or detective, and was also a "good fellow," was picked out as hospital warden is drawing to a close. The legislation required to make such farcical selections impossible should be enacted at this session of the general assembly.

There is one thing the county board should attend to at once. That is to minimize the hospital fire hazards. What is needed is not to let a fire get a start. That can be accomplished only by the multiplication of precautions of which incessant watchfulness—the eye that never sleeps—should be the chief.

VICTORY IN SIGHT.

One by one the old enemies of the tariff commission plan are capitulating and promising to help along the legislation they once hooted at. There are two men to whom this spectacle deservedly gives special satisfaction. They are President Taft and Senator Beveridge. The senator was the first in congress to formulate the permanent tariff commission plan and submit it to an unconvinced senate. He fought for it unweariedly, though success seemed hopeless. President Taft was quick to apprehend the desirability—the great need, rather—of such a commission, so that the tariff question could be dealt with scientifically. He was able to get only a pale shadow of what he wanted, but he utilized that to the best possible purpose, and has never ceased laboring with congress to get just what he wanted. And now he seems to be on the eve of getting it. The vis inertiæ of congress is yielding to the compelling power of a great idea forcibly and persistently pressed home.

Assuming that the president shall get his tariff commission this winter, as now seems likely, what next? Why, the natural order of things would be for that commission when appointed to go ahead with the work begun by the present so-called tariff commission. A vast amount of valuable information could be collected for submission to the next congress a year hence.

It has been suggested that the president should call a special session of the newly elected congress in March to reform the tariff. Under the best of circumstances it will be hard to get satisfactory tariff legislation from a congress Democratic in one branch and Republican in the other. The difficulties would not be so great if congress had before it a mass of information by which moderate men of both parties would be governed. Comparatively little of that information would be available at a March session. And if at the beginning of its career the Sixty-second congress were to pass through the strife and labor of a tariff conflict, it would not be inclined to resume the conflict later on after it had heard from the commission.

If we are to have a commission, thanks to the president, Senator Beveridge, and the men who have come to their support, it should be given an opportunity to prove its value.

BE perfectly calm about the weather.

FEBRUARY will make up for all of January's shortages.

SIMULTANEOUSLY with the opening of the postal bank a lot of old yarn socks opened.

ATLEE POMERENE, however, has nothing on the man who was tired of being known as John Smith and had his name changed to Gagadig Gigadab.

IT does not astonish us to learn that our sun is a "variable star." Even on this planet it has the reputation of being a highly capricious luminary.

AT this distance from the scene it looks as if another of those famous bipartisan combinations might be necessary in order to declare Lorimer's election untainted.

IT almost shocks us to observe the esteemed New York Evening Post recklessly discoursing about the "final outcome" of the Lorimer case.

IN A MINOR KEY.

Striking Example.

"No really sane, intelligent man," the doctor was saying, "has any superstitions."

"I'm not so sure about that," said the professor; "I know plenty of distinguished men, including statesmen, who can't mention even so simple a matter as army promotions without knocking on Wood."

Emulation.

Cicero, weary of the grind of public life, had gone into retirement at his villa near Tusculum—peaceful, be-yootiful Tusculum.

"If Ed Howe can do this sort of thing," he said, "by ginger, I can!"

But he had his troubles there, Mr. Howe; even there.

Things That Went Wrong.

CASH CXLIV.

Not long ago Mr. Abercrombie McGinnis, a retired business man, whose home is in a fashionable suburb, returned from an extended trip through central Asia.

Shortly after his arrival he was waited upon by agents of four different publishing houses.

"You dube is wastin' your time," he said to them; "I ain't goin' to write no book about my trip. Good mornin'."

CASH CXLV.

Just as the Kenwood express train was approaching the elevated station at Wabash and Madison at 5:02 yesterday afternoon a man who was hurrying to catch it, nickel in hand, found his way blocked.

A richly dressed dame stood in front of the ticket seller's window.

Instead of fishing in her purse for a $5 bill, however, and delaying the procession, she handed out the exact change, received her ticket, and hurried on.

The man caught his train.

C. W. H.

MARQUISE DE FONTENOY.

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LORD EXMOUTH, who is due here today on the Lusitania, is one of the baker's dozen of peers who attain their majority during the course of the next twelve months. He has many American relatives, and one of them, a second cousin, the octogenarian Henry Edward Pellew, whose home is on Massachusetts avenue, at Washington, D. C., and who spends his winters at Sand Oaks, his place at Aiken, N. C., is the next heir to the Exmouth peerage.

Mr. Pellew, who was one of the founders of Keble college, Oxford, married, first, one of the daughters of Judge William Jay, and on becoming a widower he married her sister. He has by his first marriage an only surviving son, Prof. Charles Ernest Pellew of Columbia university, married to the daughter of Prof. Chandler, and who, making his home on East Twenty-sixth street, New York, is now the second heir to Lord Exmouth.

But the fact that Henry Edward Pellew of Washington and his son, Prof. Pellew of Columbia, are to all intents and purposes Americans does not constitute by any means the only association of their family with this country.

One of their ancestors, Samuel Pellew, owned in Maryland the estate now occupied by the United States naval academy at Annapolis, and it was because his sons fought on the British side in the war of independence that he received no compensation or payment for his lands. Of his four sons one was killed in a skirmish which preceded the surrender of Burgoyne at Saratoga.

Another son was Admiral Sir Israel Pellew, who commanded the Conqueror at the battle of Trafalgar, and the admiral's only son, Capt. Edward Pellew of the horse guards, was killed in a duel at Paris.

Another of Sir Israel's brothers, Edward by name, likewise rose in the royal navy to the rank of admiral, and, after having received in turn a baronetcy and the barony of Exmouth for his services, was raised to the rank of viscount and endowed with a perpetual pension of $10,000 a year as his reward for bombarding and destroying the fleet and arsenal of Algiers, thus crushing the power of the piratical Deys of Algiers, whose corsairs had for hundreds of years spread terror and desolation along the entire coast of the Mediterranean.

It may be remembered the United States took a notable part in the bombardment, this being the first occasion in which the American fleet had gone into action with the British as friends instead of as foes since the time of the war of independence.

Some time before his death the late Lord Exmouth commuted the perpetual pension of his family for a sum of $250,000, his being one of the last of the so-called hereditary pensions, which always have been unpopular with the people, owing to the fact that they were too often conferred as tokens of unworthy royal favor rather than as a reward for military and naval services.

The present Lord Exmouth is his only son, and makes his home at Canonteigh house, Dunsford, near Exeter, where he lives with his mother, the widowed viscountess, and his sister, the Hon. Georgina Pellew, who is his senior by five years. He was educated at Eton, and is now an undergraduate at Trinity college, Cambridge.

Count Otto Bismarck, whose death has just taken place in Berlin, must not be confounded with the young prince of the same name who is now in the enjoyment of the honors and estates of the first chancellor of the present German empire.

Whereas the Otto von Bismarck of Friedrichsruh and Schoenhausen is only 14 years of age, the Otto von Bismarck who has just been gathered to his fathers was in the neighborhood of 60.

He was the last male survivor of the fourth or Schierstein branch of the five branches of the house of Bismarck, was unmarried, and was half English, his mother having been a daughter of the great and historic Welsh house of William Wynn of Wynnstay. Her marriage took place at Copenhagen, where her father was accredited as English envoy to the court of Denmark, and her husband, the late Count Frederick Bismarck, was Prussian chargé d'affaires.

One of the two sisters of Count Otto Bismarck is the widow of the late Wilfred Cripps, who was attorney general to King Edward when Prince of Wales, and one of the best known members of the English bar.

Archæologists will owe a debt of gratitude to Gen. Brun, the French minister of war, for his action in restoring some of the old time beauty of the château of Vincennes, demolishing the ugly sheds and wooden structures, even the modern brick annexes, with which it had been disfigured, and in putting a stop to degrading uses to which many of the most interesting apartments had been put.

In fact, the minister of war—largely, it must be explained, at the instance of the commanding officers of the troops stationed at Vincennes—has completed the work of careful restoration, which cannot but prove of inestimable value in preserving this only real royal castle in the immediate vicinity of Paris that dates from the middle ages.

Dating from the eleventh century, its name figures on almost every page of French history. Within its walls numbers of kings and royal princes were born, married, or died. Within its precincts judicial assizes were held, famous decrees were signed, and parliaments of the nobility were assembled. Its buildings have been the scene of magnificent festivities and of terrible tragedies.

When the war between France and Germany broke out Empress Eugénie availed herself of her powers as regent to resort to a bit of feminine revenge upon a beautiful Italian duchess who had been the acknowledged favorite of Napoleon III., and who had thereby excited her jealousy to a far greater degree than any of the other ladies of the court of the Tuileries who had found grace in the eyes of the emperor.

For the duchess was seized one night by the police, at the orders of the empress, and conveyed under strong escort to the castle of Vincennes, on the charge of having furnished information to the Germans, and of having been a spy in the pay of Prince Bismarck, and there the fair Italian remained until the overthrow of the empire in the early days of September and the flight from France of Eugénie brought about her restoration to liberty.

In response to an inquiry which reaches me from a reader concerning the family of young Count Raimund Pourtalès, who is about to marry the daughter of the German ambassador at Washington, I may mention that the head and chief of the entire house of Pourtalès is at the present moment Count Otto Pourtalès, who makes his home at Florissant, Colo., where he is married to a Miss Laura Montgomery. He has two grown up sons, both born there, one of 25 and the other of 30.

Unless I am much mistaken, he and his sons are citizens of the United States. His father was that Count Francis Pourtalès who was for a number of years director of the Zoological museum at Boston, Mass., where he married a Miss Elise Bachmann.

The family, as I have mentioned before in these letters, hails from Neuchâtel, in Switzerland, and its title of count, which belongs by birth to near a hundred of its members, was granted by the king of Prussia at the beginning of the nineteenth century, the letters of ordinary Prussian nobility dating from about forty years previously.

A LINE-O'TYPE OR TWO.

Alice Bradford Wiles.

[Republished by vociferous request.]

Now glory to our holy cause! Confusion to our foes!
And glory to our leader as she into action goes!
And where the fight is thickest, where the hairpins are in piles,
You'll see the nodding ostrich plume of Alice Bradford Wiles.

O, glory to our holy cause! And let the welkin ring!
We'll clasp our fingers in the hair of every mean old thing.
And where the puffs and switches and the hairpins lie in piles
You'll see triumphant wave the plume of Alice Bradford Wiles.

AN esteemed correspondent takes exception to the French of another correspondent, and adds that it is not the first infraction noticed in this tower of light. So we take this opportunity to announce that we cannot be responsible for the French of our conerbs, as we have trouble enough taking care of our own.

ONE who is running a Tower of Babel must scrape acquaintance with a variety of tongues. Consequently we have succeeded in mastering only one—"die schoenste Lengevitch." We prefer English, but English is a hard language to master.

AGAIN THE CONVENTIONAL BLACK.

Last week, Wednesday, just in the edge of the night, while no envious eyes were looking or why swain was bent on serenading, came Mr. Walter Durham and his fair love to the parson's modest home, seeking just an appropriate ceremony pronounced, of Elder Ellis, that would seal the secrets of their hearts. The groom, tall, strong and manly, was dressed in black broadcloth, the bride in tan silk.—Walnut (Ill.) Leader.

MORE about dreams. The principle of the new school of psycho-analysis is that "there lurks in every dream, often disguised, a repressed wish for fulfillment." Our repressed wish is almost always a yearning to catch a train. What is YOUR repressed wish, gentle reader?

"THE finest tenor of our time," says the New York Sun of Sig. Bonci; "finest in beauty of voice, in taste, and artfulness of execution." Still, you have to hand it to Caruso for getting the money—as Mme. de Staël remarked of a successful painter.

"TO avoid loss of commutation ticket," thoughtfully suggests Jane, "why not carry it in a handbag and keep ticket puncher waiting while you hunt for it? It would give him a chance to exercise some of that 'unfailing patience and courtesy.'"

Dr. Dubbe's Program Study Class.

Dr. Criticus Flub-Dubbe's talk to the Study Class yesterday was the first in a series of One Hundred Lectures on Piano Playing Past and Present. As Herr Busoni is to perform Liszt today, the Doctor spoke particularly of that composer.

"Liszt devoted so much of his life to technic for technic's sake," said Dr. Dubbe, "that he had little time to develop his genius (granting such) for the composing of absolute music; so that, outside of his program works, he left us nothing of account. He required the exterior stimulus of a program, and he found it easier to transform a theme than to develop it. His slavish devotion to the mechanical side of his interpretative art is also responsible for much of the piano pounding that afflicts the modern ear."

"Should you say that Liszt was responsible for Mark Hambourg?" inquired Mrs. Fuller-Prunes.

"I fear so," replied the Doctor. "Franz himself did not pound, but his followers did, and they are now as the sands of the sea. There was, and still is, a marked difference between Liszt and Lisszerine."

"How did the pianos of those days stand the strain?" queried Mrs. Evingston.

"Unfortunately," said the Doctor, "the concert super-dreadnought of Liszt's generation could stand even more punishment than the modern instrument. I say unfortunate, because the assailant did not realize the violence of his attack. Nowadays when a pianist puts his instrument out he appreciates that something is amiss; either his punch is too vicious or he is not gauging the distance correctly."

"Which piano, in your opinion, is the White Man's Hope?" asked Miss Gay Votte.

"I have a definite conviction," said the Doctor, "but it amounts to a thousand dollars' worth of advertising."

"Is the building of dreadnoughts to continue?" asked Posta.

"The tendency is toward disarmament," replied Dr. Dubbe. "The increase of neurasthenia in this country compels consideration for the human ear and nervous system."

"How fortunate, then," said Mrs. Fuller-Prunes, "that Liszt's rhapsodies and things are so difficult to play."

"Unfortunately they are not," returned the Doctor. "Liszt, even more than Chopin, had the trick of endowing his piano compositions with imaginary difficulties. They sound much harder than they are. Consequently most pianists esteem them highly."

ALMOST tearfully the Post begs Mr. Lorimer to resign. Now, we are so ruthless that we'd prefer to see him booted out, but such a proceeding would probably give the Post a poignant pain.

PERADVENTURE the author of this madrigal, three centuries old, knew Mary G. in a former incarnation:

"My love in her attire doth show her wit;
It doth so well become her.
For every season she hath dressings fit,
For winter, spring, and summer.
No beauty doth she miss
When all her robes are on!
But Beauty's self she is
When all her robes are gone."

CHICAGO'S public is fonder of novelties than of old timers, according to Mr. Dippel. As, for example, "Otello," which may be classed as a novelty. When "Otello" was given the other night the largest and most fashionable audience of the season remained at home.

A DEVIATION FROM TYPE.

The bride's dress was of lavender messaline trimmed in silk brocaded applique lace with a garnitire of pearls, and she carried pink and white carnations. Her traveling dress was tan panama trimmed with silk braid. The groom deviated from the conventional and wore a suit of navy blue serge.—West Lebanon (Ind.) Gazette.

AN aged lady of White Plains, N. Y., has been assessed $4,000 by a jury for hissing four slanderous words into a young woman's ear. A wide field for speculation.

A GARY paper mentions that Mercy hospital in that town took care of 715 patients, of which number only 50 died, "although many of them were the victims of murderous assaults." Mercy!

IN a few years, says Edison, the former wizard, there will be no work for horses to do. In that remarkable age, one assumes, aeroplanes will be used to haul logs in the forests.

TO several correspondents: You have our kind permission to "differ from" us; we prefer to "differ with" you. It is usually a good plan to look things up before passing criticism.

JUST what is a "semi-annual January sale"? We are perishing for propinquity—we are perishing for propinquity.

OLD AMICUS POPULI is certainly stirring 'em up. Letting in the light remedies most evils.

THE unusual thing about the county hospital investigation is that it precedes the fire.

ARE you looking for the First Robin?

ANOTHER singular coincidence.

E. S. P.

"THE FRIEND OF THE PEOPLE."

All communications to this department should be addressed to The Friend of the People, THE TRIBUNE office, Chicago, and must be accompanied by the name and address of the writer.

THE ANTI-SPITTING LAW.

Chicago, Jan. 10.—Does there now exist a law against spitting? If so, why isn't it enforced? It seems useless to ask people for money to wage the battle against tuberculosis and other dread diseases so long as the spitting nuisance continues.

It is impossible to stamp out a disease without first removing a possible cause. Your paper has done such good work in getting many laws enforced, can't you help here? We seem to need it greatly at present. A SUBSCRIBER.

There is an ordinance forbidding this nuisance in public places, but like a great many others it is more honored in the breach than in the observance. Warnings signed by the chief of police and the commissioner of health are posted in hundreds of prominent places, but after the first few arrests for violation of the law, the matter apparently became negligible. It is not infrequent sight to see conductors and motormen and even policemen indulging in this filthy and dangerous habit. Those who are brave enough to call attention to the offense have in some cases been insulted or assaulted by the offenders. They get little sympathy and no aid in their endeavors to enforce the law. The police say that there are not men enough on the force to prevent the nuisance and in this they are right, but they should never refuse to make an arrest if the witness is willing to swear out an information. Persons usually refrain from making such complaint because of the trouble to which it puts them. The question seems to resolve itself into one of individual conscience and conduct. The time may come when each person having the public welfare at heart may have to be invested with police powers and arrest and prosecute all violators of this necessary law.

CITY'S CONSUMPTION OF WATER.

Chicago, Jan. 11.—From my own experience and that of others it would appear that the water supply was never so deficient as now. Is there any way in which you can find out for me what the trouble is? RAVENSWOOD.

The deputy commissioner of public works has made a compilation, which is appended:

I am sending you a statement of the pumpage for the whole city on Jan. 3 and 4 last, the average pressure and the per capita consumption, as compared with Jan. 3 and 4, 1910, July 3 and 4, 1910, and of July 17 and 18, 1910.

Date—	Pumpage.	Average pressure.	Per capita consumption.
Jan. 3, 1910	514,811,539	44.0	208.5
Jan. 4, 1910	551,111,537	42.0	204.3
July 3, 1910	523,917,886	47.7	203.6
July 4, 1910	516,206,800	49.4	203.2
July 17, 1910	500,831,150	49.5	202.4
July 18, 1910	527,940,763	47.6	205.7
Jan. 3, 1911	551,538,962	40.4	204.5
Jan. 4, 1911	537,376,938	40.0	204.6

O. E. HEWITT,
Deputy Commissioner.

EXEMPTION FROM ELECTION SERVICE.

Chicago, Jan. 12.—What are the exemptions from service as election officials? RELUCTANT.

There are no exemptions save on the ground of old age, ill health, or lack of political affiliations.

THROUGH ROUTE TO AUSTIN.

Chicago, Jan. 6.—Now that the Chicago Railways company has extended its lines to the city limits why is it that the service is worse than under the old system? It is generally understood by the patrons using the Madison street cars west of Forteth avenue that every fourth car was to be the through car, but up to date as many as thirty cars have passed the writer at Dearborn and Washington streets waiting for the car which runs to Sixtieth avenue. Another point, and that is when are the cars which are supposed to turn off Clark street from Madison street to be operated, and, further, why don't they extend the Madison-Halsted street through car to the city limits as provided for under their ordinance?

I trust that your department will be able to do something to better the existing conditions on West Madison and in find the lost through route which was to be established so that people living on the extreme west side of the city could be able to get to Lincoln park and other points on the north side without transferring from car to car.

A SUFFERING AUSTINITE.

The condition complained of on West Madison street, between Fortieth avenue and the city limits, has been improved and a new schedule will be put into effect in a few days.

There is no through route provided for in the ordinance, which connects Madison street with North Clark street, except one which operates only as far as Ogden avenue on Madison street. It is the intention to run the Madison-Halsted through route to Sixtieth avenue eventually.

A QUESTION OF TAXATION.

Chicago, Jan. 10.—Please enlighten me in regard to personal property assessments. Why do they have you make a schedule and swear to it, and then not pay any attention to your sworn figures? I am a workingman supporting a family on a small salary. Two years ago I had to pay $6.82, when at the most, my entire furniture, including a piano, was worth not more than $300.

The man who comes around to look through your house possibly never owned a stick of furniture, nor does he know the value of it, puts in a figure, and the board of assessors accepts his word in preference to my oath. Last year I paid $5.80. This year I do not know yet what I am going to pay. At that rate I am paying more than most rich people are. Also, what redress have I, if any? The assessor comes in the spring, hands in his figure, and I receive a bill the following January to pay at once, without knowing in advance how much. DISGUSTED.

A taxpayer's sworn schedule is usually accepted by the board of assessors without question unless that body has information of undervaluation. If you think your assessment is too high you should go before the board next summer with your tax receipts and make formal protest. It is too late now to do anything about the assessment just levied.

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE.

THE JEWS IN RUSSIA.

Chicago, Jan. 8.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—Will you please explain on what ground the Russian government discriminates against a Jew having a passport from the United States government? Is it to comply with certain specific laws regarding Jews, race prejudice, or is it on account of the Jewish religion? Dr. Emil G. Hirsch said: "Russia does not discriminate against the English or German Jews, but it does bar Jews from this country." WM. MCGUINNAS.

[Dr. Hirsch has kindly consented to answer this question as follows:]

Russia discriminates against Jews plainly on no other ground than religious prejudice. The Jew who consents to be baptized is at once relieved of all disabilities. The Jew who, when asking to have the passport vised by the Russian consul, will declare himself to be a Unitarian will find out that under the new name he will not be turned back at the Russian frontier. As long as he is or declares himself to be a Jew in religion—for conversion to Christianity does not alter his race—he may secure permission to enter Russia only by special indulgence. In that case his passport will be stamped "Jew."

The difference between the method which Russian authorities have adopted in dealing with American passports and that in vogue when acting upon those issued by England or Germany to English (Jewish) or German (Jewish) subjects, to which I alluded in an interview recently published, is due in the case of German passports—as I was told by friends of mine while abroad last summer—to treaty regulations. German merchants of a certain rating—corresponding to the first guild in Russia—and German commercial travelers are admitted without special permits. The German passport gives the religion of the bearer. This saves the Russian officers the trouble of stamping the word "Jew" or, as it is in Russian, "Hebrew," on the document. No discrimination is made between Jewish and non-Jewish merchants coming under this regulation. Of course, other Jews of German nationality are dealt with as are the Jews of the United States. The English foreign office, as I was informed by a writer of prominence, a Jew himself, who has been connected in a semi-official capacity with the English foreign office, has always taken care that bearers of English passports, regardless of their religion, were not molested at the frontier in Russia and while in Russia. My informant himself has paid repeated visits to St. Petersburg, securing at one time an interview even with Plehve.

EMIL G. HIRSCH.

NAMES MR. PRINGLE FOR MAYOR.

Chicago, Jan. 12.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—I want to ask why none of the "wise ones" have not mentioned Mr. William J. Pringle's name for mayor of Chicago? I'll tell you why; because he is so absolutely honest that men high up in "the game" are afraid of him. But if the Republicans hope to stop the flood of Democratic victory a Republican of known honesty, integrity, and force must be chosen to be the representative of this city. There is not an iota against the character of Mr. Pringle; he is an able man, well educated, and "fit" for this position as no man thus far "mentioned" is, or can be. He has, as an alderman, always rated on the side of the people. He has done this not as a grand stand play but because it was always the side of right. Only recently he gave additional proof of this by not voting for the new traction steal. IKE CRAWFORD.

A QUESTION OF IDENTITY.

Chicago, Jan. 12.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—Who is Henry F. Cope? READER.

[Mr. Cope is secretary of the Religious Educational society and author of numerous books on religious subjects.—Editor Tribune.]

IN THE INTEREST OF MORALS.

Chicago, Jan. 5.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—Reporting in today's TRIBUNE the preparation of a bill to be introduced at Springfield for the sterilization of criminals, idiots, etc. (a most desirable measure), it is said that in the four states where this is now in vogue over 1,000 have been sterilized. Please give the names of the four states. J. W. W.

(Sterilization of habitual criminals and mentally defective individuals is legalized by legislative enactment in Indiana, Connecticut, California, and West Virginia.—Ed. Tribune.]

SENATORS AND THE LORIMER AFFAIR.

[Chicago Daily News.]

Members of the United States senate who have spoken on the Lorimer case show a familiarity with the details of that complicated affair which is both surprising and gratifying.

The precise knowledge displayed by Senator Crawford of South Dakota, Senator Beveridge of Indiana, and Senator Owen of Oklahoma could have been gained only by much painstaking study. Senator Crawford had dug into the subject to such good purpose that he could even point out discrepancies in the record itself as submitted by the committee on privileges and elections.

The efforts of disinterested senators to master the facts underlying this important case give the general public added reason for hoping that the matter will be disposed of on its merits by the senate.

TAFT AND THE LORIMER CASE.

[Chicago Evening Post.]

The senators have been reading the Lorimer testimony. It is probable that some of them never would have read it if their attention had not been called by Mr. Taft to the impropriety of rendering a verdict without knowing the facts. Since the senators began to study the case there have been signs of a change of intention on the part of many of them. If the matter of Mr. Lorimer's right to his seat had gone to a vote two weeks ago and his claim to have been honestly elected had been confirmed, an honest poll of the senate probably would have divulged the fact that one-half of the members had taken for granted the word of innocents spoken by the majority of the investigating committee. The president's "interference" has done only one thing. It has made possible a verdict from a jury which has informed itself upon the merits of the case on trial.

In the meantime, isn't it more than ever seasonable for Mr. Lorimer to resign?

Since our last suggestion to that effect it has become clearer that the Illinois senatorial scandal is to make a serious inroad into the supremely valuable time of the short session. It is also clearer that the state on which Mr. Lorimer professes such devotion is getting a darker and darker reputation before the country. Finally, it is plain as a pikestaff that the action of the senate is going to be far more stringent than the junior senator ever imagined.

Is not the situation almost on the verge of the time when it will be too late to resign?

THEATER PLANS IN GERMANY.

Chicago, Jan. 9.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—The proposed establishment throughout Germany of large theaters for the production of the world's classics, reported in your issue of Jan. 8, is by no means new, nor is the comprehension of the classics among the working classes of that country as limited and vague as you surmise.

The late Prof. Alexander Strackosz and Mrs. Reinhardt of Berlin have already explored the field and the success which has attended three years' interpretation of the world's classics at the Reinhardt theater, Berlin, is no doubt responsible for the enthusiastic reception of the project.

The universities of Germany are open to all, rich and poor alike. If a student, after graduating from the gymnasium, has not the means to live during his course of study at the university, he is provided for by the government.

With such splendid educational facilities it is easy to understand the German comprehension and appreciation of all that pertains to the classics. The superficial view of the great German project expressed by THE TRIBUNE must be discouraging to the eminent German university professors and to the masses who have profited by their teachings. ALEXANDRA VIARDA.

THE TOGA.

[Chicago Record Herald.]

The Lorimer togs begins to look shoddy—neat and attractive one but week's wear.

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ROUGH ROUTE TO AUSTIN.
go, Jan. 6.—Now that the Chicago ys company has extended its lines to limits why is it that the service is than under the old system? It is ly understood by the patrons using dison street cars west of Fortieth that every fourth car was to be ough car, but up to date as many y cars have passed the writer at rn and Washington streets waiting car which runs to Sixtieth avenue, r point, and that is when are the hich are supposed to turn off Clark rom Madison street to be operated, ther, why don't they extend the n-Halsted street through car to the mits as provided for under their nce?
st that your department will be do something to better the exist- nditions on West Madison and to lost through route which was to be hed so that people living on the e west side of the city could be get to Lincoln park and other on the north side without trans- from car to car.

A SUFFERING AUSTINITE.
ondition complained of on West Madi- eet, between Fortieth avenue and the nits, has been improved, and a new e will be put into effect in a few days. is no through route provided for in inance, which connects Madison street orth Clark street, except one which e only as far as Ogden avenue on Mad- reet. It is the intention to run the n-Halsted through route to Sixtieth eventually.

QUESTION OF TAXATION.
go, Jan. 10.—Please enlighten me ard to personal property assess- Why do they have you make a e and swear to it, and then not y attention to your sworn figures? a workingman supporting a family nall salary. Two years ago I had $6.82, when at the most, my en- rniture, including a piano, was not more than $300.
man who comes around to look your house possibly never owned of furniture, nor does he know ue of it, puts in a figure, and the of assessors accepts his word in nce to my oath. Last year I paid This year I do not know yet what going to pay. At that rate I am more than most rich people are. what redress have I, if any? The comes in the spring, hands in re, and I receive a bill the follow- uary to pay at once, without know- advance how much. DISGUSTED.
xpayer's sworn schedule is usually ac- by the board of assessors without unless that body has information of aluation. If you think your assess- a too high you should go before the next summer with your tax receipts ake formal protest. It is too late now anything about the assessment just

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WORKMEN ATTACK THE BONUS PLAN

Labor Leaders Score System in Addresses Before Civic Federation in Gotham.

SAY POOR WORK RESULTS.

Plea Is Made by Engineer Chief for Increased Rates for Railroads.

New York, Jan. 12.—Unqualified disapproval of the bonus system seeking increased individual efficiency among employés was expressed today by labor leaders before the National Civic federation at its eleventh annual convention.

"It's simply the same old task driving system under a new name," declared John Mitchell, formerly president of the United Mine Workers of America.

Warren S. Stone, grand chief of the International Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, said the railroads had tried the system, found it a failure and abandoned it.

The bonus project was brought up for discussion by the address of H. L. Gantt, an industrial expert. He produced charts he said would show that factory girls, previously inefficient, had been trained to a high efficiency by means of rewards.

Says Poor Work Results.

Mr. Stone, who followed, attacked the theory, relating instances from his own experience as a locomotive engineer to show that poor work, not good work, was the result of the system.

"The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers stands for efficiency, but not for the bonus system," he said. "It has been tried and failed."

The declaration of Louis D. Brandeis, counsel for the New England shippers, before the interstate commerce commission that millions could be saved to the railroads by proper management also came in for criticism by Mr. Stone.

"I differ with Mr. Brandeis," he said. "Has he ever directed a railway? Yet Mr. Brandeis, who has no practical experience of this subject, says the railroads might save half of the waste."

All Interested in Rate Question.

Mr. Stone asserted that the whole country was interested in what the interstate commerce commission would do about freight rates.

"There will be a change in public opinion if something isn't done for the railroads of the country," he said. "The roads need money for development and improvements and to meet modern requirements exclusive of the raise in wages. Some of the best managed roads will be seriously affected unless they are given relief."

John Mitchell reverted to the bonus system.

"This theory of efficiency they offer in their interest," he said, "the workingmen do not want without further investigation. If it is to go on, have it in the name of the manufacturer, not of the wage earner. We repudiate it."

Against Compulsory Competition.

The attempt to regulate railroads by compulsory competition should be abandoned, declared Edgar A. Bancroft, attorney for the International Harvester company. He thought that as the interstate commerce commission had been given ample power to deal with rates, competitive restrictions were futile.

"Today the need is not for restrictive federal laws against agreements among railroads," he said, "but specific authority to enter into all agreements tending toward uniformity in classification of rates and in rate making."

Samuel Untermeyer attacked the government's attitude toward the trusts as a "monstrous sham."

William Dudley Foulke urged federal control of industrial trusts along the lines of the present government regulation of railroads.

PLAN GARMENT STRIKERS' AID.

Meeting in Wilmette Woman's Club on Tuesday Scheduled to Obtain Moral and Financial Support.

A meeting will be held in the Wilmette Woman's club Tuesday, Jan. 17, to obtain financial and moral support for the striking garment workers of Chicago, as the outcome of the meeting yesterday of the Tenth district of the Federation of Illinois Woman's Clubs in the Wilmette Woman's club. The meeting will be presided over by Dr. Alice Barlow Brown, president of the Tenth district.

AMUSEMENTS.

Dr. James M. Gray
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Sheridan Road and Evanston Ave.
FRIDAY AT 8 P. M. Subject:
"THE EPISTLE TO THE ROMANS."
and in
THE MOODY CHURCH
La Salle and West Chicago Aves.
SATURDAY AT 8 P. M. Subject:
"GREAT DOCTRINES OF THE FAITH."
Dr. Preaches in THE MOODY CHURCH SUNDAY, JAN. 15
10:30 A. M. Subject:
"DOING RIGHTEOUSNESS."
7:30 P. M. Subject:
"WHAT MAKES IT WORTH WHILE"

Mat. 25-50c—1:30 American MUSIC HALL
Eve. 50-75c-$1—7:30
22 Acts 22—The Biggest Yet
ROSS & FENTON, JOHNNY FORD & DIVING NORINS—HARRY BROWN & CO. Great Albini—Fossettes' Quartette AL. FIELDS—TYLER & BERTON—20 Stars
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HARRY CLAY BLANEY Soul Kiss."
Firemen's Benefit, Auditorium, Jan. 15.

SUSPENSION OF RATE RAISE

Voluntary Action by Carriers to Give Board Time.

WESTERN CASES NEXT WEEK.

Similar Procedure Is Considered Likely in That Territory.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 12.—Official announcement was made by Acting Chairman Clements of the interstate commerce commission at the conclusion of the arguments of the eastern rate case today of the further suspension of the proposed advances of rates in official classification territory from Feb. 1 until March 15.

The suspension was made voluntarily by the carriers in order to afford the commission additional time to discuss and consider the problems presented to it.

Suspensions in West Likely.

The likelihood is that there will be a similar suspension of the advances in rates proposed by the carriers in western trunk line territory, official announcement of which will be made at the arguments of that case to be heard next week by the commission.

In making the announcement Mr. Clements said it manifestly was impossible for the commission fully to consider and finally to determine the questions presented in the two cases prior to Feb. 1, and that on suggestion of the commission the carriers had consented to suspend the proposed rates.

It can be said that it is not the expectation of the commission to consume all of the time of the additional suspension in arriving at a conclusion of the two cases. The probability is that a decision may be reached about March 5. As soon as a conclusion is reached it will be announced in order that the railroads and the shipping public may adjust themselves to it or take other action as they may deem desirable.

Argument to Begin on Monday.

Mr. Clements also announced that sixteen hours would be allowed by the commission for the argument of the western trunk line case, the arguments to begin on next Monday.

Final statements by counsel for the carriers, largely in response to arguments presented by attorneys for the shipping interests, were submitted today. The burden of the statements was that the carriers had shown through an increase of operating expenses the necessity for increased income, which in the circumstances could be obtained only through an advance in freight rates.

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ILLINOIS MINERS NOT SAFEGUARDED

U. S. Geological Survey Says Most Accidents in This State Are Preventable.

UNION WELL ORGANIZED.

Report Shows That Workmen Here Are More Powerful than Elsewhere.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Washington, D. C., Jan. 12.—[Special.]—That a majority of the deaths and injuries in Illinois coal mines could be prevented by a more rigid enforcement of safety precautions is indicated by the report of the United States geological survey on conditions in that state, which was made public today. The greater number of casualties in Illinois mines in the last twenty-five years have resulted from falling roofs and coal, which proper precautions would have prevented, while exceptionally few deaths were caused by gas and dust explosions, from which it is difficult to protect underground workers.

Cherry Disaster Worst in Nation.

The Cherry disaster, in which 400 miners lost their lives, gave Illinois the blackest record for casualties in the entire country during the year 1909. In 1910 the production of coal in the state fell off several million tons on account of the prolonged strike.

"The coal miners of Illinois are probably better organized than those of any other bituminous coal mining state," says the report. "One result of this has been the establishment throughout the coal mining regions of the eight hour day. But the biyearly shutdown naturally has resulted in long periods of idleness and loss of income both to operators and employés.

"In the fiscal year ended June 30, 1909, the total number of accidents in the coal mines of Illinois was 1,107, of which 213 were fatal and 894 non-fatal. The largest number of fatalities in any previous year was 1905, when 160 lives were lost.

Millions of Tons Produced.

"The production of coal in the fiscal year of 1909 was 49,163,710 short tons, and the number of men employed was 72,738. The death rate per thousand was accordingly 2.98, and there were 230,800 tons of coal mined for each life lost. The Cherry disaster cost nearly twice as many lives as were lost in the fiscal year 1909, and more than doubled the fatal accidents of 1908.

"During the twenty-five years ended June 30, 1909, the fatalities have totaled 2,493 and the non-fatal accidents 11,568. The prolific causes of accidents, falls of roof and coal, were responsible for more than half of each, 1,310 deaths and 6,488 injuries being attributed to such accidents.

"That the mines of Illinois have been exceptionally free from gas and dust explosions is shown by the fact that in the twenty-five years the total deaths from this cause have been 158, with 191 injured. Powder explosions and windy shots killed 208 and injured 541, and 782 deaths and 4,899 injuries were due to miscellaneous causes."

BOARD O.K.'S CITY PORT BILL

Gives Sanitary District Right to Build Outer Harbor Here.

LORIMER MAN FIGHTS VOTE.

Two Objectors at Trustees' Meeting Refuse to Vote on Subject.

After prolonged debate the sanitary board indorsed yesterday the bill which will be presented to the legislature next week giving the sanitary district the right to build the outer harbor of Chicago. The vote was six to nothing in favor of the project, neither President Thomas A. Smyth nor Trustee Paul Hasard voting.

Virtually all the ammunition against the indorsement of the bill was provided by Trustee Hasard, the personal representative of Senator Lorimer on the board. He harangued the other members and the "gallery" for half an hour, first for delay and then for a negative vote, and when the roll was called he refused to be recorded on either side of the question.

President Smyth asked several times that the matter go over for a little while, saying that he was unfamiliar with the negotiations which have been going on between the city and the sanitary trustees for a year, and later putting up the plea that he wanted an opinion on the legality of the measure.

Must Pass Law First.

Trustee Wallace Clark answered his objections by saying that no test of the legality of granting the sanitary district the power to build a harbor could be had until the enabling legislation was passed. He further pointed out that there was an agreement between the trustees and the subcommittee of the city council that action would be taken at the earliest meet, in view of the fact that a resolution indorsing the city's enabling bill was introduced in the council Monday night, so that the two bills might go to the legislature together.

The salient features of the bill are that the sanitary district be given authority to enlarge its powers and build a harbor; that during one year it must obtain a permit from the city to build the harbor. After one year no permit will be necessary. At any time it must turn the harbor and all improvements over to the city on demand, for the cost to them, giving the city credit for any profits which may have accrued from operating the harbor facilities.

Hasard Has Many Objections.

Trustee Hasard did not think the sanitary district should go on record as favoring the building of an outer harbor. He thought there should be a referendum vote by the voters of the district. He thought the city should pay all the losses in case it takes over the harbor later, but that most of the profits should go to the sanitary district, as a good "business proposition." Lastly, he deemed that the money would be better spent in developing the docks along the sanitary canal.

Will Speak on Peace Movement.

Mrs. Louis Ames Mead will address the congregation of the K. A. M. temple, Indiana avenue and Thirty-third street, on the peace movement, next Saturday morning at 10 o'clock.

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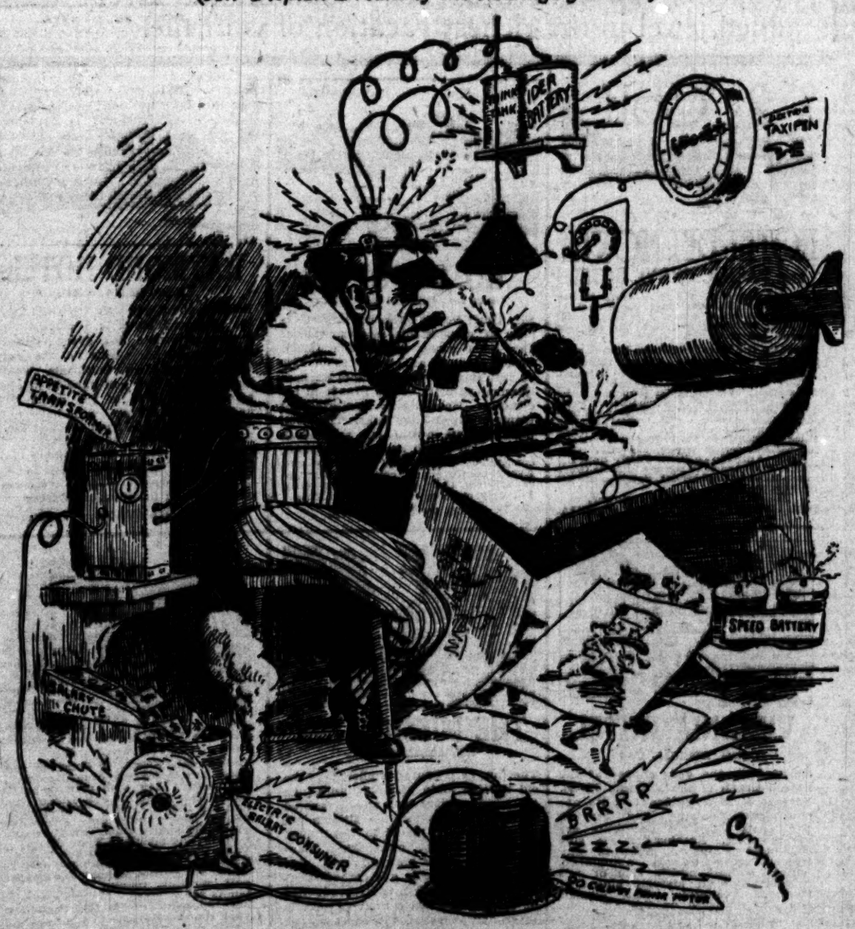

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NEW YORK VALUES INCREASE CREDIT

Added $800,000,000 to Assessment Rolls Will Be of Great Benefit to City.

DEBT LIMIT IS RAISED.

Enlarged Revenues Will Make Possible Construction of New Subways.

BY HOLLAND.

New York, Jan. 12.—[Special.]—The first suggestion inspired by the official statement that the local tax board had increased the assessable value of real property in New York by nearly $800,000,000 was that this increase over the assessment of last year would so expand the city's credit that under the law it would be able to borrow approximately $80,000,000. As a corollary to this statement came another—namely: that the city would now be in condition to facilitate the construction of the contemplated new subways.

Of course, the city's debt limit, the expansion of its credit, and the imperative need for the construction of new subways—which may cost in the aggregate more than $100,000,000, possible $150,000,000—are important considerations. Yet, after all, there underlie this almost unprecedented assessment report other features of more than local interest. They are related to national financing and to national prosperity.

About as Large as National Debt.

By means of comparison some idea can be obtained of the magnitude of this increased assessment for taxing purposes. The increase in a single year is in amount larger than the aggregate total debt of New York City. Speaking approximately, it compares with the entire national debt upon almost equal terms. Of course, so great an increase as this inevitably means the inpouring of great capital to New York, heavy investment in real property, and particularly the making of New York City one of the great market places in the United States for building material, such as structural steel and iron, bricks, cement, and lumber.

Great a manufacturing city as New York is, it nevertheless is able to produce little of the material needed in the improvement of real properties. We must go to Pittsburg for structural steel; we must approach manufacturers of cement whose works are in other states; we must buy heavily of the lumber of the west and northwest, and also largely of the lumber of the south. And we must go elsewhere for our purchases of brick and stone. Therefore, if there be as great an increase in the taxable value of real property in New York City as to justify the assessors in making out a grand list nearly $800,000,000 larger, so far as real estate valuations are concerned, than that of last year, it is easy to see that the whole country contributes directly or indirectly to this increase, and that New York ranks second, probably to the railroads of the United States as a market for steel and iron products.

Critics Blame the Assessors.

There has come, naturally enough, instant criticism for this increased valuation. One of the statements commonly made is that it was a necessity due to the great increase of the city budget, and yet the tax assessors were instructed by Mayor Gaynor to follow carefully the rule upon which tax assessments should be based, namely, that taxable value of real property should be based upon a reasonable estimate of the sale value of that property. If, therefore, the assessors have followed carefully this rule, the market value of real property in New York is nearly $8,000,000,000.

Now, it may be that this increase in real values is more apparent than real. It is possible that the assessors who made the list for 1910 undervalued real property. But we have had visible evidence, and that, too, of a kind which may be substantiated in a court of justice under oath, that there have been phenomenal increases in the sale value of real property in New York city in the last year. There are many instances of appreciations demonstrated through actual sales of the value of private residence property, many cases in excess of $100,000.

Sales made in the vicinity of the new Pennsylvania station have shown amazing increases over the estimated value of the properties of that district a year ago. Upon Fifth avenue there have been some extraordinary increases in values which have been demonstrated by actual sales, and the appreciations in the market value of real estate in some of the suburban districts is not a matter of surmise, but of actual demonstration, for much property has changed hands in the last year in those districts, almost invariably at a substantial increase over the sales price as fixed a year ago.

Extravagance Draws Censure.

One of the criticisms publicly made of the new tax list of real values is that if the city of New York had not been extravagant, venturing into costly public improvements, the present budget would have been much smaller and it would not have been necessary therefore to make relatively large assessments. But the law makes no distinction. Real property is to be assessed at its fair market value, or approximately upon that basis. Therefore, if the city had practiced the economies which it might have practiced and if it had refrained from certain public works, which are to be expensive, nevertheless, if the present tax list is made upon the basis of the law, we should have had this large assessment, but the tax rate might have been considerably reduced.

There must have been some difficulty in estimating the fair sale of some of the properties. For instance, it is almost impossible to obtain estimates, any two of which agree, as to the sale value of the nationally famous Madison Square garden property. As an investment it has proved to be, if not a real failure, at least something of a disappointment; for one thing, the theater which is a part of the property is practically useless.

Fourth Avenue Has Changed.

The assessors have fixed the sale value of the garden at $3,190,000, an increase of approximately $500,000 more than the tax value as fixed last year. Now this property of itself cannot have any greater market value this year than it had last. But within the last twelve months the character of Fourth avenue, which Madison garden faces upon the east, has been changed. It is one of the swiftest changes of the several which recently have taken place in this city. The avenue was almost dead to business two or three years ago. In the meantime millions of capital have been invested in real property there, great business structures have been erected, and it is probably in sympathy with this movement that the Madison Square garden property finds itself valued at a higher rate than was fixed upon a year ago. We understand that this was one of the most difficult problems presented to the tax assessors.

LATE WALL STREET NEWS AND GOSSIP.

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—[Special.]—A representative of one of the largest steel companies says there is every indication steel prices will be reduced as soon as consumers show a disposition to come into the market. The question of reducing wages to correspond with the reduction in steel prices as well as output is being considered. The tendency of steel wages has been upward since the organization of the United States Steel corporation, while prices for steel have been going downward.

That George J. Gould had so far determined to retire from the active management of the Gould properties that the offer of the presidency of the Missouri Pacific was made recently to President Truesdale of the Lackawanna is officially confirmed. The news was published, however, before Mr. Gould had intended to make any announcement. Mr. Truesdale declined the offer on the ground that he was unwilling to take up the task of familiarizing himself with an entirely new set of railroad conditions. Other prominent railroad men are being considered, but no definite arrangements have been made.

Horace Havemeyer, who recently retired from the American Sugar Refining company, requested that he be given representation on the board of the National Sugar Refining company and be made vice president in charge of the raw sugar purchasing department. He also is said to have requested that Charles J. Welch be given a place on the board. These requests, it is stated, have been refused by President Post of the National company on the ground that ownership of the common stock of the company, which is held in trust for the Havemeyer estate, is in doubt. Of 100,000 shares, 93,000, it is claimed, are owned by the Havemeyer estate. The annual meeting of the national company scheduled for Wednesday adjourned for sixty days.

It cannot be learned that there is any truth in the rumors that the Pennsylvania Railroad company recently materially increased its holding of Norfolk and Western stock. It is admitted, however, in authoritative circles that about eight months ago the company did buy a large amount, which, with its previous holdings, gives a clear majority. There never has been any official announcement as to how the purchase of this stock was financed. The amount which it is understood was bought last summer was larger than could be covered with the proceeds of $40,000,000 of new Pennsylvania stock which it is proposed to issue if the recommendation of the directors is approved by the stockholders and leave a substantial amount for other purposes.

It is learned from Chairman Gary that James A. Farrell will officially assume his new duties as president of the United States Steel corporation on Feb. 1. This means President Corey's resignation will be accepted by the board of directors at their quarterly meeting on the last Tuesday of this month and that on the same date Farrell's election will be confirmed. Farrell, however, already has assumed the duties of president in fact.

It is reported that the Delaware and Hudson soon will apply to the public service commission for permission to issue $7,000,000 bonds. Presumably the bonds for which authority is to be asked are part of the $50,000,000 first and refunding 4 per cent authorized in 1906. Of these bonds only $20,700,000 are now outstanding.

SANTA FE PLEADS HARD LUCK

Claims Its Compensation Has Always Been Inadequate.

PLACES NO RATE LIMIT.

Management May Ask for More Than Is Wanted at Present.

A hard luck plea is made by the Santa Fé railway in its brief in the western freight rate case, filed with the interstate commerce commission by its general solicitor, Gardiner Lathrop, and general attorneys, T. J. Norton and Robert Dunlap.

The road takes the position that it has never earned half the money to which it has been entitled, and through 176 pages of statistics and legal citations its argument is a poverty petition.

Although the road states that its proposed advances now under investigation amount to but $90,000 a year it is made plain that this is not regarded by the management as the limit to which it is entitled, and which it may ultimately ask for if the proposed increases are allowed.

Question Is Regarded National.

"In this case the issues joined are between the American public and the government of the United States," the brief states. "The questions rise above any private interests of the carriers. They deal with the commercial and industrial condition of the nation. The case is so much larger than any of the parties to the record, or all of them together, that it cannot be fitly tried or justly determined except upon a broad, comprehensive basis. It is the commercial and industrial west that calls for this advance and lifts the case out of the class of controversies between carrier and shipper.

"We believe that the power to bring good fortune or misfortune is now absolutely in the possession of the commission, and that we here present to it the most momentous question with which it has had thus far to deal. The country more than the carriers will feel the consequences of its act.

Returns Are Called Inadequate.

"The case of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fé railway is that American railway rates have never been high enough and that the public has never paid adequately for the service which it has received; that the railway company, with an extremely fortunate situation geographically, has never, though most carefully managed, earned for its stockholders and its physical needs half the money to which it has been entitled from the public it has served. Also that this inadequate return has prevented it from properly keeping abreast of the development of the country or meeting the demands which the people had a right to make if they would pay for the things demanded."

Referring to the "poverty" of the road, the "dire and pressing need of money," the Santa Fé attorneys assert:

"This shortage of money survives all examinations into bookkeeping, shoulders aside all criticisms about wages and maintenance, emerges from the fog of controversy concerning dividends and looms everywhere as a fact of which this country must take notice. It cannot be ignored. Nothing but money will answer. The public welfare demands higher rates, and that welfare is within the keeping of the commission."

NEWS OF THE COURTS.

United States Supreme Court.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 12.—[Special.]—Proceedings in the Supreme court of the United States today were:

David Jetzinger of Chicago, Ill., was admitted to practice.

118—The United States, appellant, vs. the American Tobacco company, et al.; and,

119—The American Tobacco company, et al., appellants, vs. the United States; argument concluded by Attorney General Wickersham for the United States.

238—Standard Oil company, et al., appellants, vs. the United States; six hours allowed each side in the arguments of this case on motion of Attorney General Wickersham for the appellee; argument commenced by John G. Milburn for the appellants.

Adjourned until tomorrow at 12 o'clock. The day call for Jan. 13 will be as follows: 398, 432, 407, etc., 448, 627, and 496.

Petitions in Bankruptcy.

18419—Guy G Gibson, Chicago, coal dealer. Lia., $21,700; assets, $17,107.22. Pomeroy & Martin, attys.

18420—Robert A. Cook, 4124 North Forty-fourth court, railway mail clerk. Lia., $1,960; assets, $3,240. S. C. Palmer, atty.

18421—Ralph Chiapetta, saloonkeeper 1001 West Polk street. Lia., $1,996.95; assets, $920.35. M. Linker, atty.

18422—Robert A. Brown, contractor, 159 North Pine avenue. Lia. $5,329.84; assets, $145.50. Pehan W. Nilsson, atty.

18423—Jacob Joffee, 1018 Blue Island avenue. Lia., $1,158.12; assets, $415.32. J. W. Schulman, atty.

18424—Simon Gavrulovics, 2459 West Twenty-third place. Lia., $1,151.11; assets, $30.75. J. W. Banis, atty.

18425—R. J. Watt, manufacturer, 7300 Harvard avenue. Lia. $5,112.81; assets, $878. Adams, Robb & Adams, attys.

Chicago Flour Men to Meet.

The annual meeting of the members of the Flour Men's club of Chicago will be held next Wednesday evening at Vogelsang's restaurant. Officers will be chosen.

AWAIT PRICES OF WORSTEDS

Local Manufacturing Clothiers Interested in Quotations.

TRADING IS TO BE CLOSE.

Listing of Small Mills Shows Reduction from 1910 Values.

Local manufacturing clothiers are interested in the opening prices of worsted piece dyes for fall lines of men's clothing, which will be named in New York in the near future, it being expected that figures on some of the leading numbers will be made public within a few days. Some mills have already placed their quotations on minor lines.

So far no definite advance information has been obtained by Chicago manufacturers as to whether the opening prices will rule lower than they did last season, following the precedence of lines for next spring, which were in some cases nearly 10 per cent below those of the previous year.

Sharp Trading Is Anticipated.

A few handlers of fancy worsteds are showing collections quietly, but no business of consequence has been placed on the books. From the prices that are being quoted by these small mills it is clear that sharp trading is anticipated. For instance, an all worsted fancy is being offered at 55c per yard. A cloth of similar construction was placed before buyers last year by the same selling agents at $1.02½. How long these opening prices will last is only a matter of surmise, as costs have been figured close in order to induce buying in a free way.

Prices on staple worsteds have also been named by some of the more important producers of men's wear. Those on serges made public by one mill show no change has been made in quotations as compared with a year ago, and one number has been advanced 5c a yard. This move in the face of anticipated lowering of prices is considered strange in some quarters, but the agents of the smaller mills say this action is necessary if manufacturers intend to maintain their standards of quality.

Still Expect Revival in Woolens.

There is some question as to whether carded woolen suitings will be as well regarded as they were a year ago. Some well informed buyers claim that fancy woolens have lost prestige and manufacturers of worsteds naturally concur in this view, but it is a significant fact that those who predicted a revival of woolens over a year ago are just as firm in their views as they were at that time.

In some quarters it is predicted that there will be a revival of the demand for chinchilla overcoatings. Orders for this class of goods already booked exceed the entire business done in the same sort of goods for the last three years.

Most of the orders have been for the finer materials in chinchilla. Sellers of these goods, however, are not being carried away by the interest displayed to such an extent as to expect a demand anywhere near the distribution effected when chinchilla overcoats were at the height of their popularity nearly fifty years ago.

INQUIRY ON BANK EXAMINATION.

Controller Murray Will Investigate Condition in Illinois and Neighboring States.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 12.—[Special.]—The methods employed by federal examiners in checking up on the condition of national banks in Illinois and surrounding states are to be investigated by Controller of the Currency Murray. Accompanied by Oscar L. Telling, chief of the division of reports in his office, Mr. Murray will leave here Saturday and begin his inquiry on Monday in one of the districts in Illinois or Indiana.

After making a thorough study of the work of his office, Mr. Murray has reached the conclusion that there is no excuse for the failure of a national bank. Some of the examiners are vigilant and efficient and deal promptly with any indications of an unsound condition in the banks they examine. Others are lax in enforcing the regulations. It is through lack of vigilance that failures generally result.

Mr. Murray purposes to study the methods employed by his examiners with a view to strengthening weak places in the system.

DEATHS.

[For other death notices see page 15.]

ENDERIS—Julia Enderis, widow of the late Henry Enderis, Jan. 12, aged 70, at her home in Milwaukee. Interment Graceland cemetery, Chicago, 2 o'clock Saturday.

FARRELLY—Johanna Farrelly, wife of the late Philip Farrelly, Jan. 12. Burial from niece's residence, 168 East Chicago-av. Funeral notice later. Clinton, Iowa, papers please copy.

MARCHANT—Mrs. Susan F. Marchant, Jan. 12, aged 83 years and 11 months, at residence of her daughter, Mrs. Frank Kimball, Oak Park. Funeral notice later.

WALSH—Catherine Walsh nee Frawley, beloved wife of the late Michael Walsh, mother of Mrs. John Armstrong, Joanna M. Michael, Thomas J., and the late John E., and Catherine E. Walsh, at her son's residence, 936 Monrose-blvd. Please omit flowers. Funeral notice later.

EULOGY OF JOHN D. IN OIL'S DEFENSE

Standard Attorney, Before Supreme Court, Denies Concern Is a Trust.

SPEAKS THREE HOURS.

Declares Agreement with Railroads Was Part of "Romance of the Times."

Washington, D. C., Jan. 12.—Arguing today before the Supreme court of the United States against the proposed dissolution of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey as violative of the Sherman anti-trust law, John G. Milburn of New York addressed the court for three hours.

In his history of chaotic conditions in the oil business between 1860 and 1870, due, he said, to an overproduction of refining capacity, Mr. Milburn introduced to the court the character of John D. Rockefeller.

"There was out there in Cleveland," said he, "a young man in the early '60s with a small amount of money which he had saved who possessed the gift of genius. He had the genius for business, and there is a genius for business just as there is a genius for war or poetry or painting. That man was John D. Rockefeller. He saw that this overproduction of refineries was to be met by volume of business so as to withstand the lower profits."

Earlier Steps Toward Success.

He then told how Rockefeller allied himself with Andrews, a practical oil refiner, and how with the exercise of Rockefeller's genius for business and their consequent good standing among financiers, they grew rapidly.

Mr. Milburn dwelt particularly upon the period of acquisition, which he said closed in 1879, the trust agreement of 1892, and the new arrangement of ownership in 1899. Acquisitions never had been made, Mr. Milburn told the court, with an intent to restrain or to monopolize interstate trade. Most of the purchases were made, he said, before 1879.

"We thought it was only the decent thing to do if a man came to us with a proposition to sell out," said Mr. Milburn, "to buy his plant at its appraised value. Often it was practically worthless, and we could have permitted it to go to dry rot in his hands."

He denied the charges of the government that the Standard Oil having had the advantages of such preferences from the railroads during the period of acquisition, it should now be punished. The contracts between the railroads and the Standard were not in restraint of trade he contended, "when viewed in the light of the days in which they were made."

Trust Agreement "Romantic."

Even the history of the South Improvement company, which Mr. Milburn termed to as embodying the "romance of the times," was held not to have been in restraint of trade. He explained to the court that the South Improvement company was incorporated in 1872, upon the insistence of the railroads. The railroads and oil refiners were parties to it. They were to carry on a common business and distribute the profits. Mr. Milburn said the state of Pennsylvania repealed the charter of the company before it could carry a ton of freight.

The trust agreement of 1892 whereby trustees exchanged their certificates for the stock of the various "common owners" of Standard Oil companies, came in for much attention. In connection therewith, Mr. Milburn maintained that the Supreme court of Ohio did not decide that the "trust" was illegal, but simply required the Standard Oil company of Ohio to withdraw from the trust agreement.

NEWS NOTES OF FINANCIAL WORLD.

Curtailment through the greater part of 1910 is shown in the output figures of the Phelps-Dodge mines, 117,329,496 lbs, comparing with 125,302,856 lbs in 1909, a decrease of 7,973,060 lbs, or 6 per cent. Custom ores amounted to 21,496,568 lbs, against 7,856,812 in 1909. In addition to this copper there was in excess of 32,000,000 lbs from the Calumet and Arizona and the Superior and Pittsburg combined, bringing the total strength of the Phelps-Dodge agency to 191,568,064 lbs. The Phelps-Dodge stands third among the country's largest copper sellers, the total exceeded only by those of the United Metals Selling company and the American Smelting and Refining company.

With a gain of 7.37 per cent in December's gross earnings, the Edison company of Boston shows an increase of 1.34 per cent in expenses, giving an 18.46 per cent increase in net revenue. In six months of the current fiscal year gross has established a record of $2,486,229, an 11.11 per cent increase over 1909. Expenses have increased less than 5 per cent, and the net revenue, $1,403,716, is 16.36 per cent over that of the corresponding period of last year. The month of July showed a gain of 38.3 per cent.

The low selling price of pig iron has resulted in a 10 per cent cut in wages by the Thomas Iron company of Pennsylvania and the Empire Steel and Iron company, operating in Pennsylvania and New Jersey. The reduction affects 3,500 men.

It was rumored in New York yesterday that a new bond issue is shortly to be announced by the Union Pacific. The bonds are expected to be listed on the Paris bourse. The Southern Pacific is also said to be in the market for a loan.

There is a growing interest in the Twin Cities and the northwest relative to Wisconsin Central common and its prospects. Gross earnings for the last year are reported to have been the largest in the history of the road.

Domestic exports for December from the port of New York were $133,611,000, an increase of $45,-$12,000 compared with the corresponding month last year.

It is announced that James A. Farrell's speech at the steel men's dinner was only a brief one, and that he did not touch upon the subject of prices.

The rights to subscribe to the new Pennsylvania railroad stock were traded in on the New York curb with sales at 2.

IMPORTERS OFFER $1,000,000 IN CUSTOMS FRAUD CASES.

Secretary MacVeagh Receives Many Proposals of Compromise Following Investigation at New York.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 12.—Secretary MacVeagh has before him offers of compromise aggregating fully $1,000,000 from New York importers of woolens, laces, millinery, silks, etc., who have been suspected of undervaluation frauds upon the customs. One of the offers is said to carry a compromise of more than $500,000. Since a systematic investigation of the frauds began several weeks ago the offers have been coming in steadily.

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Packers Sell Provisions.

Selling of provisions was credited large... mour-Cudahy interests and stockyards... Buying was scattered, the market fin... support on the declines. Selling of ribs... fairly heavy. A bearish interview with ... Milwaukee packer was one cause of... market. Receipts here were 26,000, as... with 20,000 the estimate for today. L... mates of provision stocks were modera... lish, showing no surplus of importance... Receipts of hogs were 37,000, against... year ago. The week's packing was set... 465,000, compared to 530,000 a year ago.

Good Demand for Rye.

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Flaxseed advanced 1c. No. 1 nor... closed at $2.58. No. 1 from the northe... No. 1 southwestern $2.45, and rejected $... Receipts, none. Duluth closed 1¼c hig... $2.58. Receipts were 2 cars. Minnea... higher; cash on track, $2.55. Receipts w...

Timothy seed was firmer. March close... bid and $10.35 asked. Country lots, $9... Clover seed steady. March closed at $1... nal. Country lots, $10.00@14.25.

AMERICAN GRAIN MARK...

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Jan. 12. — T... market today had a reaction and the ne... declined 1 cent. Lack of support and... profit taking caused the weakness... continued bullish and further advance... dicated by the local traders. Actual... showed little change. May closed 7¾c b... yesterday and July 7@7¾c lower. Loc... stocks decreased 330,000 bu for five days... apolis today received 161 cars of wheat... 304 a year ago; Duluth 26 against 74, a... pos, 6 against 177. May wheat opene... high, $1.09¾; low, $1.08¾; closed, $1.09... July opened $1.00¾@1.09¾; high, $1.09¾; ... ($1.09¾; close, $1.09@1.09¼. Cash wheat... strong demand. Mills continued to be... buyers. Offerings light. No. 1 northern... May to 1c above. Closing cash: N... $1.16; No. 1 northern, $1.08¼@1.09¾; ... $1.08¼@1.09¾; No. 2 northern, $1.05¼... arrive, $1.05¼@1.08; No. 3 wheat, $1... no. 3 white corn, 44½c. No. 3 white o... No. 2 rye, 80@80½c. FLAX—Receipts... year ago 28, shipments 3. Demand... strong for both spot and to arrive at $2... Duluth May prices. Closing price, $2.55. R... Receipts 28 cars, year ago 90, shipments... High prices for barley since the fall of... made today when it sold up to 90c... strong, especially for choice malting gra... ing range, 62@93c. MILLSTUFFS—... 1,100 tons. Demand active. Market s... prices unchanged. Bran in 100 lb sac... $1.00. The flour market held about fir... demand fair for patents but slow for cle... unchanged. Shipments 41,092 brls. Fir... $4.00@5.35; second patents, $4.85@5.25; ... $4.35@4.75; second clears, $2.85@3.65.

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—FLOUR—W... with demand only moderate; receipts, 1... shipments, 80. RYE FLOUR—Steady... WHEAT FLOUR—Quiet. BUCKWHE... CORNMEAL—Steady. RYE—Steady.... Firm. WHEAT—Spot easy; No. 2 red, ... later and $1.01¼ f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 nor... nth, $1.04¼ f. o. b. afloat. Futures m... easy under liquidation by speculative lo... predictions of rain and snow in the west... price net lower; May, $1.03 13-16@1.03 7... $1.03½; July, $1.03¾@1.04¾, closed $1... points, 1,800 bu; shipments none. C... firm; new No. 2, 54c nominal f. o. b. a... spot market was without transactions, ... but decline; May closed 53¼c. Receip... 950 bu; shipments, 950. OATS—Spot dull... market was without transactions, clos...

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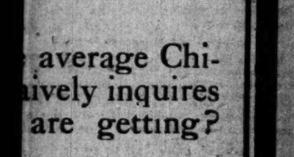

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FUTURE MARKETS HAVE EASY TONE

Wheat and Corn Deliveries Recede Under Heavy Local Selling Pressure.

TEXAS BUYS RED WINTER

25,000 Bushels Taken for Southwestern Miller; Country Corn Sales Are Large.

Wheat had a draggy tone towards the end of the session yesterday, and while there was fair support on the weak spots the buying was less aggressive, and offerings were heavier. Local longs were a little anxious and took profits quite freely, while the outside speculative public has not come into the market to any great extent. With fair prospects for snow or rain in the southwest, moreover, traders were inclined to look for a further reaction. Closing figures were ½c to ⅝c to ¾c to ⅞c off.

The excitement due to reported sales of red winter wheat to go to Texas of the day before was lacking, but after the close 25,000 bu more No. 2 red was sold to go to the same state. The lack of demand in this direction has been a check on speculative activities, and the comparatively slow flour trade in all directions is also a bear help.

No Enthusiasm Abroad.

Liverpool closed ⅝d higher, but the foreign markets in general fail to show any enthusiasm on the buying side, the liberal stocks at all points being a bar to any great degree of anxiety as to supplies. Paris was unchanged to ⅛c up; Berlin, 1c higher; Antwerp, ⅝c off, and Budapest, ⅞c up. Argentine shipments were estimated at 480,000 bu, against 296,000 bu last year, and Indian shipments were heavy at 1,024,000 bu.

Weather conditions were not abnormal over the winter wheat belt, and snow or rain is predicted for the entire belt to be followed by a cold wave. Primary receipts were 413,000 bu against 656,000 bu a year ago, and northwest points had 217 cars, against 174 cars a year ago. The Canadian storm is interfering with the railroad operations in that country. Winnipeg having only 6 cars; last year, 174 cars.

Southwest Reports Bullish.

Reports from the southwest continue bad as a rule, the secretary of the Kansas Grain Dealers' association stating that 95 per cent of the wheat in the big belt of Kansas had not yet germinated. The Price Current, however, stated that the general outlook for winter wheat was unchanged, and that where there was no snow covering the ground it generally looked healthy. Clearances of wheat and flour were only 48,000 bu. Receipts here 13 cars, with 22 cars the estimate for today. Minneapolis wheat stocks decreased 330,000 bu for five days.

Bedford-Warren-Chandler, Armour, Jones, Barnett, Logan-Bryan, and Barrell were on the selling side on the advance. Chapin, Harris-Windhrop, Fitch, Gifford, Knight-McDougal, Jackson and Wagner were on the buying side. Trade was a good deal mixed, with the wire houses on both sides.

Corn Shows Heavy Tone.

Trade was active in corn and the pressure of the heavy selling of the last few days began to be felt, prices declined ¼c to ⅝@¾c lower. Offerings from the country were liberal and purchase at interior points were larger proportionately than by Chicago houses. Argentine news was not so bullish, rains relieving the drought in some sections, but a Buenos Aires cable said there had been insufficient moisture.

Clement-Curtis and Logan-Bryan were quite free buyers early, but later Noyes-Jackson, Bartlett-Frazier, Chapin, and local traders were sellers. Receipts in the west were 900,000 bu, against 800,000 bu a year ago, and arrivals here 264 cars, with 335 cars the estimate for today. Cables were unchanged to ½d higher. Cash prices here were steady to ¼c higher, with sales of 100,000 bu, although there were rumors of big sales made east that were unconfirmed. Argentine shipments were estimated at 2,000,000 bu, compared to only 512,000 bu a year ago.

Oats Trade Is Limited.

Oats were dull and featureless during the greater part of the session, the early strength in other grains causing a little bulge, while the later weakness was followed by a dip in oats. Final quotations showed net losses for the day of ¼@¾c. Cash prices were steady to ¼c up, with sales of 125,000 bu. Offerings were free from the country. Receipts here were 110 cars, with 122 cars the promise for today. Western points had 427,000 bu, against 380,000 bu a year ago.

Packers Sell Provisions.

Selling of provisions was credited largely to Armour-Cudahy interests and stockyards houses. This was scattered, the market finding fair support on the decline. Selling of ribs was especially heavy. A bearish interview with a leading Milwaukee packer was one cause of the lower market. Receipts here were 26,000, as expected, with 20,000 the estimate for today. Local estimates of prices stock to arrive were moderately bullish, showing no surplus of importance. Western receipts of hogs were 77,500, against 56,400 a year ago. The week's packing was estimated at 480,000, compared to 580,000 a year ago.

Good Demand for Rye.

There was a good local consumptive demand for rye and prices were advanced 3c. Shipping sales were 5,000 bu. No. 2 sold at 85c and No. 3 82c and closed at 82c bid. No. 4 was quoted 70@76c. Receipts were estimated at 32 cars.

Lower grades of barley were 1@2c higher and choice kinds were firm. Malting was quoted 83@ 87c, feed 65@75c, and screenings 24@50c. Receipts were estimated at 28 cars.

Timothy Advanced 1c.

Timothy seed was firmer. March closed at $10.25 bid and $10.35 asked. Country lots, $8.25@10.00. Clover seed was steady. March closed at $15.25 nominal. Country lots, $10.00@14.25.

AMERICAN GRAIN MARKETS.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Jan. 12. — The wheat market today had a reaction and the near months declined 1 cent. Lack of support and moderate profit taking caused the weakness. Sentiment continued bullish and further advances are anticipated by the local traders. Actual conditions showed little change. May closed ⅞c lower than yesterday and July ⅝@⅞c lower. Local elevator stocks decreased 330,000 bu for five days. Minneapolis wheat stocks decreased 330,000 bu for five days.

Bedford-Warren-Chandler, Armour, Jones, Barnett, Logan-Bryan, and Barrell were on the selling side on the advance. Chapin, Harris-Windhrop, Fitch, Gifford, Knight-McDougal, Jackson and Wagner were on the buying side. Trade was a good deal mixed, with the wire houses on both sides.

Cash receipts received 191 cars of wheat, against 208 a year ago; Duluth 26 against 74, and Winnipeg 177. May wheat opened ⅛@¼c lower at $1.03⅝@¾, declined ½c to ⅝@¾c lower, closing at $1.03⅜@¼, July opened $1.00⅝@1.01, high $1.01⅛@¼, low $1.00⅝@1.00¾, closing at $1.00⅝@¾. Cash wheat was in active demand. Mills continued to be the only buyers. Offerings light. No. 1 northern sold from 1c to ½c above the May price cash: No. 1 hard, ⅞c; No. 1 northern, $1.01⅝@1.06¼; to arrive, $1.01⅝@1.04¾; No. 2 northern, $1.01¾@1.08; to arrive, $1.01¾@1.08; No. 3 wheat $1.01¾@1.06, to arrive, $1.01¾@1.08; No. 3 white oats, 41½c. No. 2 rye, 80@80½c. FLAX—Receipts, 3 cars, with 28 shipments 3. Demand continued strong for both spot and to arrive at 2c under the March May prices. Closing price, $2.55. BARLEY—Receipts 28 cars, year ago 90, shipments 53. New malt prices for barley since the fall of 1907 were made today, when it sold up to 83c. Demand especially for choice malting grades. Closing range, 62@68c. MILLSTUFFS—Shipments 4,180 tons. Demand active. Market strong and unchanged. Bran in 100 lb sacks $21.00@ 21.50. The flour market held about steady with demand fair for patents but slow for clears. Prices unchanged. Shipments 41,092 brls. First patents, $4.35; second patents, $4.85@5.25; first clears, $3.75; second clears $2.35@2.95.

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—FLOUR—Was steady, with demand only moderate; receipts, 18,057 brls; shipments, 60. RYE FLOUR—Steady. BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—Quiet. BUCKWHEAT—Quiet. CORNMEAL—Steady. RYE—Steady. BARLEY—Nominal. WHEAT—Spot easy; No. 2 red, $1.00⅝ elevator and $1.01⅛ f. o. b. afloat; No. 3 northern Duluth $1.04¼ f. o. b. afloat. Futures market was under liquidation by speculative longs and on reports of rain and snow in the west, closing ¾@1c lower; May, $1.06 19-16@1.02 7-16, closed; July, $1.03⅝@1.04⅛, closed $1.03⅝. Receipts 1,600 bu; shipments none. CORN—Spot easy; No. 2, 54c nominal f. o. b. afloat. Futures market was without transactions, closing ¼c lower; May closed 53½c. Receipts, 177,760 bu; shipments, 950. OATS—Spot dull. Futures market was without transactions, closing 1c net lower; May closed 40¼c; July, 40⅝c. Receipts, 79,300; shipments none. HAY—Firm. HOPS—Firm; state, common to choice, 1910, 22@26c; 1909, 17@20c; Pacific coast, 1910, 18@22c; 1909, 13@16c.

DULUTH, Minn., Jan. 12.—WHEAT—Close—On track, No. 1 hard, $1.10¾; on track and to arrive, No. 1 northern, $1.09¾; No. 2 northern, $1.06¾@1.07¼; May, $1.10¾ bid; July, $1.10⅛ nominal. DURUM—On track, in store, to arrive, No. 1, 92c; No. 2, 90c; May, 94c; July, 90c nominal. FLAX—On track and in store, $2.55; May, $2.58 asked. OATS—32½c. RYE—73¼@77¼c. BARLEY—76@90c; feed barley, 62@76c. Receipts—Wheat, 72,777 bu; year ago, 108,066 bu; oats, 7,609 bu; year ago, 17,691 bu; flax, 4,813 bu; year ago, 6,108 bu. Shipments—Wheat, 1,451 bu; barley, 26; year ago, 74; oats, 1; year ago, 14; barley, 15; flax, 2; year ago, 2. Total, 32; year ago, 14.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 12.—CASH WHEAT—Unchanged; No. 2 hard, 98@99½c; No. 3, 94c@ $1.00; No. 2 red, $1.05⅛; No. 3, $1.03@1.05. CORN—Unchanged to ¼c higher; No. 2 mixed, 45¼c; No. 2 white, 45½c; No. 2 yellow, 45¾@46c. OATS—Unchanged to ½c higher; No. 2 white, 33½@34½c; No. 2 mixed, 31@32c. RYE—No. 2, 74@77c. Receipts: Wheat, 20,000 bu; corn, 29,000 bu; oats, 6,000. Shipments: Wheat, 26,000 bu; corn, 38,000 bu; oats, 7,000 bu.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Jan. 12.—FLOUR—Steady. WHEAT—Easier to ¼c lower; No. 1 northern, $1.10¼@1.11; No. 2 northern, $1.09@1.09¼; May, $1.01⅝@1.01¾ asked. RYE—¼c higher; No. 1, 82½c. OATS—Firm; standard, 34½c. CORN—Steady; No. 3, 46½@47c; May, new, 50¼@50¾c asked. BARLEY—1c higher; No. 2, 80@82c; sample, 80@86c; medium, 80@90c; No. 3, 80@86c; No. 4, 80@86½c; rejected, 75@80c; Wisconsin, 80@85c.

PEORIA, Ill., Jan. 12.—CORN—Higher; No. 3 white and No. 2 yellow, 46c; No. 3 yellow and mixed, 44½c; No. 4, 43½@44c; sample, 40¾@42¼c. OATS—Nominal; No. 2 standard, 32¾@33½c; No. 3 white, 32½@33c.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Jan. 12.—WHEAT—Cash firm; track No. 2 red, $1.04@1.06; No. 2 hard, 99c@$1.05. CORN—Higher; track No. 2, 46½c; No. 2 white, 47@47¼c. OATS—Firm; track No. 2, 35c; No. 2 white, 34½c. RYE—Unchanged, 83½c.

TOLEDO, O., Jan. 12.—CLOVERSEED—Close: Cash, January, February, and March, $9.15; April, $8.85; October, $7.75. ALSIKE—Prime, $9.30; March, $9.40. TIMOTHY—Prime, $4.65.

Liverpool Grain Market.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 12.—Closing: WHEAT—Spot steady; No. 2 red western winter, 7s 8d; futures firm; March, 7s 2¼d; May, 7s 2¼d. CORN—Spot steady; American mixed, new, 4s 5¼d; old American mixed, 5s 1¼d; futures firm; January, 4s 9¼d; February, 4s 5d; May, 4s 7¼d.

RESIN, TURPENTINE.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Jan. 12.—TURPENTINE—Firm, 80½c; sales, 176 casks; receipts, 124 casks; shipments, 297 casks; stocks, 16,395 casks. RESIN—Firm; sales, 2,005 brls; receipts, 1,288 brls; shipments, 4,560 brls; stocks, 90,669 brls. Quote: B, $6.12½; D, $6.15; E, $6.20@6.25; F, $6.25; G, $6.27½@6.30; H, $6.32½@6.35; I, $6.35; M, $7.45; N, $7.80; WG, $7.80; WW, $7.85.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Jan. 12.—SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Steady, 75c; receipts, 2 casks. RESIN—Steady, $5.75; receipts, 94 brls. TAR—Firm, $2.40; receipts, 96 brls. CRUDE TURPENTINE—Firm, $4.50@6.00; receipts, 3 brls.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Jan. 12.—TURPENTINE—Firm, 80c. RESIN—Firm; quote: A, B, C, $6.15; D, $6.20; E, $6.25; F, $6.30; G, $6.35; H, $6.40; I, $6.60; K, $6.75; M, $7.20; N, $7.50; W G, $7.50; WW, $7.85.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Jan. 12.—Receipts, 209 brls resin; no turpentine. Exports, none.

Oils.

CHICAGO, Jan. 12.—Wholesale prices of carbon and other oils: Standard white, 150, 8¼c; perfection, 9c; headlight, 175, 10c; cocene, 10½c; elaine, 11c; V, M. P., naphtha, 11c; Michigan test, w. w., 10c; p. w. w. 9c; gasoline, 13½c; machine gasoline, 22c; raw linseed oil, single brls, 95c; 5 brl lots, 94c; boiled linseed oil, single brls, 98c; 5 brl lots, 95c; turpentine, 86½c; summer black oil, 7½c; winter black oil, 8c. These quotations apply to brl lots f. o. b. Chicago.

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—PETROLEUM—Steady. COTTON SEED OIL—Steady; prime crude, $6.13@ 6.37; prime summer yellow, spot, $7.27@7.35; January, $7.28@7.30; February, $7.27@7.30; March, $7.27@7.29; April, $7.28@7.31; May, $7.32@ 7.33.

OIL CITY, Pa., Jan. 12.—Credit balances, $1.30; runs, 92,268 brls, average 116,980 brls; shipments, 216,118 brls, average 204,114 brls.

TOLEDO, O., Jan. 12.—OIL—North Lima, 52c; South Lima, 77c; Indiana, 77c.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Jan. 12.—OIL—Closed $1.80.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Jan. 12.—COTTONSEED OIL—Prime refined in brls, per lb, 6.35c.

NEWS AND GOSSIP OF BOARD OF TRADE.

"I believe prices for hog products altogether too high," said Patrick Cudahy, the Milwaukee packer, who was on the floor yesterday. "Leaving out last year an 80 hog was something unheard of and the packers are to blame for prices they are paying. We are getting plenty of hogs to take care of the actual consumptive demand, yet packers go out every morning and bid against each other as though they were anticipating a famine, while they all know that every day brings us nearer to plentifulness.

"There never was a time in the history of the world when there was such a premium put on hog raising as during the last eighteen months. It is bound to tell on the supply sooner or later. Last year was an abnormal year and there is no sense in comparing with it. Steer hides sold last year at 18c; now they are selling at 18c; oleo-stearine sold at 20c; now 9½c; and there was also a drop of about 7c a lb in oleo oil.

"The industrial situation at the present time is about as bad as it ever was, and it is all wrong to have the workingman paying such high prices for his meat. Packers should get together and get prices down, but I presume if anything of that kind was attempted the government would look some of us up for conspiracy. Yet the tanners get together and shut down, and so do the steel concerns until matters adjust themselves.

"The only thing that holds prices of speculative articles at present is that the speculator looks at the price of hogs and figures that the product is cheap. Yet the price of hogs might easily be reduced 1c in one week."

The sale of 25,000 bu more No. 2 red wheat to go to Texas mills was reported yesterday at 3½c under May free on board. Local cash wheat men, however, were of the opinion that Texas millers were paying too high a price for No. 2 red in Chicago. One local cash house was offering No. 2 red at "group 1" points in Texas from Fort Worth on the basis of about $1.16¾, whereas the No. 2 red sold here yesterday to go to a Fort Worth (Tex.) mill brought about the equivalent of $1.20, or about 4c higher than the wheat could be bought for in their own territory. Just what the reason for paying the higher price was could not be ascertained.

Kansas City practically no red winter wheat, but it has the largest stock of wheat in its history. St. Louis has a fair supply of No. 2 red and the freight rate to Texas points from St. Louis is said to be considerably cheaper than any rate obtainable out of Chicago.

On the recent advance in corn prices farmers and dealers in northern Illinois have sold more freely than at any time on the crop, but even now are said to be asking 40c, and, as most of their corn is No. 4, buyers are holding off. A good many points are paying 40c for No. 3 corn, but back away from paying the same price for No. 4. It is expected receipts will increase here sharply next week and receivers are looking for from 500 to 700 cars a day for a time.

Decatur wired Bennett that more corn had been bought in that section the last ten days than at any time for the same period in the history of the trade. Other points bought quite freely and there was a fair amount of corn sold to come here.

Bids on the call for wheat to arrive were ¼@¾c lower; corn, ¼@⅝c lower; oats, unchanged to ⅛c lower; and rye, 1¼@2c higher. Sales were: 10,000 bu No. 3 white corn or better, ten days' shipment, 45½c track Chicago; 5,000 bu No. 3 white oats or better, 30 days' shipment, 36½c track Chicago.

Winnipeg wired: "Fowler estimates that there is about 12,000,000 bu of wheat in farmers' hands and about 10,000,000 bu in country elevators. There is over 6,000,000 bu at Fort Williams. The big mills and Ontario will want 10,000,000 bu. This would leave about 16,000,000 bu for export."

Cash corn and oats were both steady to ½c higher, with only a fair demand. Corn sales were 100,000 bu and of oats 185,000 bu. Seaboard houses are buying quite a little corn for export at interior points, but are not taking much at Chicago on account of relatively higher prices here.

E. William Kalb cabled Slaughter from London that large stocks in Europe were against speculative activity, but that the cash demand was improving, with Argentine holders more confident of higher prices. Russian outlook was said to be generally good.

Barrell had following Buenos Aires cable: "Rains have been beneficial in the east part of Buenos Aires province and in the south Santa Fé province all over Cordoba. Slight rain has fallen in the greater part of central portion of Argentina."

Cash wheat here dull and no sales reported. St. Louis was firm and Kansas City unchanged to 1c up, with little good wheat offered. Minneapolis was firm. Stocks at the latter place decreased 380,000 bu for five days.

A petition signed quite generally by cash men will be handed in to the directors asking that the new blackboard now being erected in the smoking room be used at least partially for statistics.

Argentine shipments were estimated at 480,000 bu wheat and 2,000,000 bu corn. Last year shipments were 296,000 bu wheat and 512,000 bu corn.

W. A. Gardner says the flour trade at St. Louis is absolutely dull and that country receipts in the territory tributary to Chicago and increasing.

Indian shipments for the week were 1,024,000 bu, compared with 774,000 bu last week and 296,000 bu the corresponding week last year.

Receipts of wheat at Winnipeg were 6 cars, compared with 48 cars a week ago and 177 cars the corresponding day a year ago.

Estimated receipts are: Wheat, 22 cars; corn, 355 cars; oats, 152 cars; rye, 2 cars; barley, 28 cars; hogs, 20,000.

BOARD OF TRADE TRANSACTIONS.

WHEAT.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close Jan.12	Close Jan.11.
May	1.02⅛-¼	1.02⅝	1.01⅛	1.01⅝-¾	1.02⅝-¾
July	97⅛-½	97⅛	96⅝	96⅝-¾	97⅜
Sept	95⅞	96	95¼	95¼-⅜	95⅛

CORN.

May	50¾-⅞	50⅞	50¼	50¼-⅜	50½-⅝
July	51⅛-¼	51⅜	51⅛	51⅛-¼	51⅛
Sept	52¼-⅜	52⅜	52	52	52¼

OATS.

May	35¼-⅜	35⅜	35	35-⅜	35¼-⅜
July	35¼	35¼	34½	34½	35⅛
Sept	34	34	33¾	33¾-4	34⅛

MESS PORK.

Jan	....	....	....	20.00	20.20
May	19.20	19.32½	19.02½	19.07½	19.30
July	18.87½	18.92½	18.62½	18.65	18.80

LARD.

Jan	10.65	10.65	10.55	10.55	10.67½
May	10.25	10.25	10.10	10.12½	10.25
July	10.07½	10.07½	10.05	10.05	10.17½

SHORT RIBS.

Jan	10.80	10.82½	10.75	10.75	10.82½
May	10.15	10.17½	10.02½	10.07½	10.12½
July	10.00	10.07½	9.95	9.97½	10.05
Sept	10.10	10.10	9.97½	9.97½	10.07½

Prices at Outside Markets.

WHEAT.

	May— High.	Low.	Close.	July— High.	Low.	Close.
New York	1.06⅛	1.05⅝	1.05⅞	1.04⅝	1.03⅝	1.03⅞
St. Louis	1.03	1.02¼	1.02¾	99¾	99⅝	99¾
Winnipeg	1.00⅝	99½	99⅝	1.01⅜	1.01	1.01
Duluth	1.11	1.10¼	1.10¾	1.11	1.11	1.11
Minn's	1.09⅜	1.08⅜	1.08½	1.09⅜	1.09	1.09¼
Kan. Cy.	99⅜	99	99¼	94	93¼	93¼
Toledo	1.04½	1.03⅝	1.03⅝	99¼	98¾	98¾

CORN.

New York	59	59	59	....	....
St. Louis	49⅝	49¼	49¼	50¼	50¼	50¼
Kan. Cy.	49	48⅝	48⅝	49⅛	49⅛	49¼

Grain Inspection,

	No. 2 or Standard.	No. 3.	No. 4.	Low grades.	Total.
Winter wheat	3	...	4	1	7
Spring wheat	1	...	...	1	2
Durum wheat	1	...	...	1	2
Pacific wheat	3	...	...	...	3
Mixed wheat	..	...	1	...	1
Corn	4	...	83	177	264
Oats	44	18	42	6	110
Barley	11	...	17	6	34
Totals	65	18	147	192	422

Inspected out from store: Wheat—No. 2 red, 2,000 bu; No. 1 northern, 1,000 bu; No. 2 durum, 1,000 bu. Corn—No. 3 mixed, 27,585 bu. Oats—Standard, 134,968 bu. Loaded from unlicensed elevators: Wheat—No. 2 hard, 10 cars; No. 2 red, 9 cars; No. 3 red, 4 cars; No. 1 northern, 5 cars; No. 2 durum, 1 car; No. 3 durum, 1 car; No. 2 velvet chaff, 1 car. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 5 cars; No. 3 yellow, 32 cars; No. 4 yellow, 8 cars; No. 2 white, 1 car; No. 3 white, 1 car; No. 3 mixed, 6 cars; No. 4 mixed, 13 cars; sample grade mixed, 1 car. Oats—No. 2 white, 28 cars; standard, 3 cars; white clipped, 2 cars; purified white, 2 cars; No. 2 red, rust-proof, 3 cars.

Daily Indemnities.

	Up— Wheat.	High.	Low.	Close.	Down— Wheat.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	1.02¾	1.02	1.02¼	1.02	1.00⅝	1.00¾	1.00¼	1.00¾
July	97⅛	97	97¼	96¾	96	96¼	....	....
	Corn—							
May	50½	50⅝	50⅜	50½	49¾	49¾	....	....
July	51⅜	51¾	51⅝	....	....	....	....	....
	Oats—							
May	35	35	35	35	35	35	....	....
July	....	....	....	....	34½	34¾	34½	34⅝

Primary Movement.

	Receipts— Wheat.	Corn.	Shipments— Wheat.	Corn.
Chicago	24,000	362,000	22,700	347,800
Milwaukee	18,080	21,470	14,220	24,300
Minneapolis	210,650	15,080	30,686	26,160
Duluth	72,777	6,915	....	....
St. Louis	38,997	57,600	50,850	42,700
Toledo	12,000	13,900	4,100	11,500

Receipts and Shipments.

	Receipts— Wheat.	Corn.	Shipments— Wheat.	Corn.
Detroit	2,000	13,000	....	14,554
Kansas City	24,000	34,800	37,200	45,000
Peoria	1,000	105,962	....	24,154
Total	412,604	631,467	153,762	536,908
Last year	655,513	580,541	190,138	294,044
New York	4,800	77,750	....	950
Boston	4,186	29,475	10,527	219,000
Philadelphia	4,747	54,000	....	86,427
Baltimore	4,523	54,168	....	182,946
New Orleans	....	8,400	....	250
Galveston	9,000	....	....	....
Total	27,456	225,793	10,527	489,383
Last year	18,565	166,564	224,065	159,007

Cash Grain Transactions.

FLOUR—Steady; winter wheat, patent, jute, $4.40@4.50; straight, jute, $4.10@4.25; clear, jute, $3.40@3.60; spring wheat, special brands, wood, $5.15; Minnesota hard patents, jute, $4.95@5.10; Minnesota hard spring, straight, exports bags, $4.00 @4.70; first clear, $3.50@3.70; second clear, $3.10@ 3.20; low grades, $2.50@2.60; rye, white, per brl, $3.60@3.75. FLAX—On track and in store, per brl, jute, $3.60@3.75.

WINTER WHEAT—Steady. Sales, 25,000 bu. No. 2 red winter. No. 2 hard sold on track at $1.00½; No. 3 hard, 99@99½c; No. 4 hard, 95@96c. Illinois proportional billing: No. 2 hard, $1.00@1.00¾; No. 3 hard, 99@99½c.

SPRING WHEAT—Steady. No. 4 spring sold on track at 80c. Durum No. 2 sold at 98c and No. 3 at 91c.

CORN—Steady to ¼c higher. Sales, 95,000 bu. No. 3 mixed sold on track at 45¾@46¼c; No. 3 yellow, 45¾@46¼c; No. 3 white, 45¾@46c; No. 4 mixed, 44@46c; No. 4 white, 44¾c; sample grade, 43@45½c. Illinois proportional billing: No. 3 mixed, 45¾@46c; No. 3 yellow, 45¾@46c; No. 3 white, 45¾@46c; No. 4 mixed, 44¾@46c; No. 4 yellow, 44¾@45½c; No. 4 white, 44¾@46c; sample lots, 43@43¾c.

OATS—Unchanged to ¼c higher. Sales, 135,000 bu. Standard sold on track at 33½@33¾c; No. 3 white, 34@34½c; No. 3 white, 33½@33¾c. Illinois proportional billing: Standard, 33¾@34c; No. 2 mixed, 32¾c; No. 3 white, 34@34½c; No. 4 white, 33¼c.

RYE—3c higher. Sales on team track: No. 2, 85c. Track, Chicago: No. 2, 85c; No. 3, 82c.

BARLEY—Strong. Sales free on board or switched: Screenings, 32@65c; barley, 82@97c.

HOG PRODUCTS—Weak. Cash lots, mess pork, $20.12½@20.25; hard, $10.55; and short ribs, $10.12½ @10.75, according to weight and age.

BEEF PRODUCTS—Quiet and steady; quotable as follows: Beef hams, $25.50@26.00; extra mess beef, $13.50@13.75; plate beef, $16.00@16.25; extra plate beef, $16.50@16.75; edible tallow, 7¾@ 8c; prime packers' do, 7¼@7¾c. No. 1 packers' do, 7¼@7¾c; No. 2 packers' do, 6¼@6½c. No. 1 renderers' do, 7@7¼c; choice country do, 7¼@7½c; No. 2 country do, 6@6¼c; oleo stearine, 9¼@9½c; extra oleo oil, 9¾@9¾c; oleo st'k, No. 1, 8½@9¼c.

GREASES—Trade moderate; quotably as follows: Brown, 6@6¼c; yellow, 6¾@6¾c; choice, 6¾@6¾c; B white, 6¾@6¾c; A white, 7@7¼c; choice white, 7¼@7¾c.

COOPERAGE—Steady. Ash pork brls, 80@85c; oak pork brls, 95c@$1.00; and lard tcs, $1.10@1.27½.

SOUTH WATER STREET BEEF.

	No. 1.	No. 2.	No. 3.
Ribs	11½	10½	7
Loins	14½	13	9
Rounds	9	8	7
Chucks	8	7	6½
Plates	7	6½	5½

VEALS.

50@60 lbs	8¼@9c	95@125 lbs	12@12½c
65@85 lbs	9½@10c	Heavy coarse	5@7c
85@100 lbs	10½@11½c		

Hay.

CHICAGO, Jan. 12.—Steady. Receipts were 563 tons; shipments, 41 tons. Quotations: Choice timothy, $19.50@20.00; No. 1 timothy, $18.00@19.00; No. 2 timothy and No. 1 mixed, $16.50@17.50; clover hay, $10.00@13.00; Kansas and Oklahoma, prairie, choice, $14.50@15.00; No. 1, $12.50@14.00; No. 2, $11.00@12.00; No. 3, $6.00@10.00; lowa, Minnesota, Dakota, and Nebraska prairie, choice, $13.00@14.00; No. 1, $11.00@12.00; No. 2, $9.00@ 10.50; No. 3, $6.50@8.00. STRAW—Rye, $7.50@ 800; oat, $7.00@7.50; wheat, $6.00@6.50.

Cattle Trade Still Firm.

Native steer market had a buoyant undertone and a clearance of fresh receipts of 5,000 head was effected early. Competition from eastern shippers injected ginger in the call for steers valued at $6.00@6.80, while the remarkably strong demand for feeding steers served to strengthen the market for all fair flesh steers valued at $6.00 and lower. Cows and heifers were given good support and a further advance of 10c was made in prices, bringing values to largely 25c higher than on Monday. Bulls sold on a firm basis, while calves held steady at the low level touched late on Wednesday, with only a few small lots of assorted vealers up to $9.75. Stocker and feeder trade was exceptionally active and sales were made at up to $5.90, while $6.00 and more was asked for choice feeding steers. Quotations:

Beef steers, good to choice	$6.00@7.00
Beef steers, common to good	5.00@6.00
Beef cows, good to choice	5.75@6.25
Fat heifers, good to choice	5.85@6.50
Heifers, selected	5.75@6.25
Canners and cutters	2.25@3.25
Calves, common to choice heavy	5.50@6.90
Feeding steers	4.50@5.90
Good to prime veals	8.50@9.75
Stock steers	4.00@5.50
Bulls	3.00@5.00

Cattle at six western markets, 16,800 against 82,800 a week ago, 17,500 a year ago, and 25,000 two years ago. Total for 1911 to date, 292,000, against 308,000 the same period in 1910.

SHEEP.

Packers and independent butchers wanted light sheep, lambs, and yearlings, and paid firm prices for all the handyweight offerings included in general receipts of 10,000 head. They were shorn severe than at any previous time this week in their discrimination against heavyweight offerings, however, and sellers had to shade values to dispose of the latter.

The trade was moderately active, with light yearlings selling up to $5.75, while 97 lb sheep reached $4.40, both prices being steady with the highest touched this week for their respective class. Choice light lambs reached $8.50, and the bulk of the light and handy weight offerings cleared at from $8.00 to $8.40. Lambs weighing 100 lbs and more went down to $5.25 and lower, with more at $5.00 than at any other price. Quotations:

Native ewes	$2.75@4.00
Fed wethers	3.50@4.25
Native wethers	3.75@4.50
Bucks	2.00@3.25
Yearlings	5.00@5.45
Native lambs	5.00@8.50
Fed lambs	5.50@8.50
Clipped lambs	4.75@5.85

Movement at Chicago Yards.

Receipts— Wednesday, Jan. 11	Cattle. 16,644	Calves. 1,723	Hogs. 33,564	Sheep. 25,700
Thursday, Jan. 5	12,594	1,079	32,471	16,325
Thursday, Jan. 12	5,000	1,000	24,000	10,000
Shipments— Wednesday, Jan. 11	7,244	28	6,416	1,370
Thursday, Jan 5	8,322	4	8,017	556
Thursday, Jan. 12	5,000	25	6,000	1,000

Receipts for Jan. 13 were estimated at 3,000 cattle, 20,000 hogs, and 9,000 sheep, against actual arrivals of 2,179 catt

LARGE CAR ORDER TONES SENTIMENT

Friends of Steel See in Missouri Pacific's Action Good Railroad Demand.

DO LITTLE IN NEW YORK.

Important Chicago Houses Not Heavy Traders, Despite Reports of Improvement.

The Missouri Pacific Railroad company has given an order to the American Car and Foundry company for 2,000 cars. This is regarded as indicating to a considerable degree the attitude of the railroads. Friends of the United States Steel corporation are moderately bullish and their position is taken to mean that large orders will soon be placed by the railroads. This will indicate an improvement in the steel outlook and as such will reflect a generally better sentiment.

Important Chicago houses have done but little in the New York market despite their understanding of better market sentiment. The largest interests in the market seem to be still holding off.

E. H. Gary on Rail Orders.

The following was wired from New York: "In regard to Chicago dispatches saying the rail mills at the Gary plant would reopen Jan. 17 former Judge Gary says he presumes the date is correct. The delay in resuming he attributes to the fact that a sufficient number of rail orders had not accumulated to insure the continuous operation of the mills. On the assurance of this depended the resumption of operation."

Steel Orders Still Lower.

Despite the continued decrease in the operating activity of the United States Steel corporation's subsidiaries the statement of unfilled tonnage at the close of 1910 showed another diminution. The decrease from the close of November was 85,656 tons bringing the tonnage to 2,674,757 as of the opening of the new year.

The decrease of 85,656 tons, compared with 111,536 in November, 286,157 in October, 379,322 in September, and 483,605 in August. The Dec. 31 figures compare with 3,927,081 tons at the close of 1909, a loss of 54.8 per cent. Capacity at the present time, moreover, is much greater than a year ago.

Of this capacity not more than 65 per cent was in actual operation in the holiday week sixty-two blast furnaces idle, and nineteen banked, out of a total of 119 stacks. Since then the furnace at McKeesport has been blown in and some of the banked furnaces have been put into commission. New contracts and specifications increased at the opening of the year, but the gain was only temporary and there is little in actual orders to indicate an early increase in tonnage.

Figures of unfilled tonnage at the close of each of the last nine months and preceding quarters compare as follows:

Period—	Unfilled tonnage	Period—	Unfilled tonnage
Dec. 31, 1910	2,674,757	Dec. 31, 1906	8,480,718
Nov. 30, 1910	2,760,413	Sept. 30, 1906	7,936,831
Oct. 31, 1910	2,871,949	June 30, 1906	6,800,584
Sept. 30, 1910	3,158,106	Mar. 31, 1906	7,016,712
Aug. 31, 1910	3,537,728	Dec. 31, 1905	7,906,066
July 31, 1910	3,970,951	Sept. 30, 1905	8,365,377
June 30, 1910	4,257,794	June 30, 1905	4,829,655
Mar. 31, 1910	5,402,514	Mar. 31, 1905	5,579,590
Dec. 31, 1909	5,927,031	Dec. 31, 1904	4,696,203
Sept. 30, 1909	4,796,838	Sept. 30, 1904	4,027,488
June 30, 1909	4,057,939	June 30, 1904	3,102,277
Mar. 31, 1909	3,542,295	Mar. 31, 1904	4,136,961
Dec. 31, 1908	3,676,627	Dec. 31, 1903	5,216,123
Sept. 30, 1908	3,421,977	Sept. 30, 1903	5,278,742
June 30, 1908	3,313,670	June 30, 1903	4,966,578
Mar. 31, 1908	3,765,346	Mar. 31, 1903	5,410,719
Dec. 31, 1907	4,642,553	Dec. 31, 1902	5,347,523
Sept. 30, 1907	5,423,006	Sept. 30, 1902	4,843,007
June 30, 1907	7,063,878	June 30, 1902	4,791,993
Mar. 31, 1907	8,043,853		

Rand Mines Break Record.

The Rand mines in South Africa established a new high record in output in 1910, total reaching 7,533,122 fine ounces, valued at around $156,000,000. December production was 640,000 fine ounces, only slightly below the November output. Monthly figures compare:

	1910.	1909.	1908.	1907.
January	601,988	618,113	640,329	597,688
February	576,023	585,253	641,600	586,542
March	607,110	607,500	674,901	587,019
April	619,045	607,101	645,682	587,019
May	643,170	624,498	681,992	624,477
June	625,181	617,228	674,976	609,509
July	638,714	620,794	684,455	582,027
August	649,269	611,537	687,812	584,027
September	646,829	606,365	687,684	583,084
October	653,147	602,416	617,744	558,558
November	642,501	597,705	614,371	549,501
December	640,000	604,987	660,648	583,526
Totals	7,533,122	7,280,542	7,662,617	6,551,662

Total of 7,533,000 fine ounces compares with the previous high record of 7,280,542 in 1909, and 7,662,617 in 1908 and 6,551,662 in 1907. The value, $150,500,000, compares with $153,000,000 last year, $150,000,000 in 1908, $137,000,000 in 1907, and $125,000,000 in 1906. The 1910 output is about 60 per cent in excess of the annual output of the United States.

Copper Metal Situation.

While net results of the December copper movement were about as expected by leading copper men, premises for their conclusions were far from right. The 8,358,874 decrease in stocks was effected in an altogether unexpected manner. Domestic consumption, which was expected to compare well with November, lost 17,207,972 lbs. or 28 per cent. The balance was restored by a 36 per cent increase in exports, but copper men are concerned over the falling off in the former figures, as well as in the fact that the long awaited falling off in production has failed to appear, and that December production actually increased over November.

Stocks on the first of each month for the last year compare:

	Pounds.	Total increase by months.	Total increase since Jan. 1, '10.
January	122,030,195	*8,358,874	*19,735,919
December	130,389,069	*8,872,845	*11,377,042
November	139,261,914	*9,531,800	*2,504,197
October	148,793,714	*20,067,331	7,027,603
September	168,861,245	*1,759,433	27,115,124
August	170,640,678	2,254,661	28,874,557
July	168,386,017	7,960,044	26,619,900
June	160,425,973	18,441,814	18,659,856
May	141,984,159	18,156,283	218,043
April	123,827,876	15,540,582	*17,941,257
March	107,287,294	8,724,653	*34,578,119
February	98,462,289	*43,302,772	*43,302,772
January	141,765,111	*11,237,410	

*Decrease.

Monthly production and total domestic and export deliveries compare:

PRODUCTION.

	Pounds.	Changes by months.	Total since Jan. 1, 1910.
December	123,389,219	3,985,756	1,452,122,130
November	119,353,463	*7,115,821	1,328,782,901
October	126,469,284	6,949,301	1,209,429,438
September	119,519,983	*8,283,635	1,082,960,154
August	127,803,618	9,455,415	963,440,171
July	118,370,003	*8,849,165	835,636,553
June	127,219,188	3,976,712	717,266,550
May	123,242,476	5,764,637	590,047,362
April	117,477,839	*2,389,828	466,804,886
March	120,067,667	7,254,974	349,327,247
February	112,712,693	*5,584,794	229,259,706
January	118,547,287	*1,261,368	116,547,287

TOTAL DELIVERIES.

December	131,698,003	3,471,783	1,471,856,066
November	128,226,308	*7,774,770	1,340,158,943
October	136,001,084	*3,606,430	1,211,932,635
September	139,607,514	10,044,463	1,075,922,551
August	129,563,051	13,447,700	936,325,037
July	116,115,342	*3,143,802	806,761,986
June	119,259,144	14,455,482	690,646,644
May	104,803,662	5,462,308	571,387,500
April	99,518,354	*4,112,231	466,586,838
March	103,430,585	*257,255	367,068,484
February	103,687,840	*35,862,219	263,637,899
January	139,550,059	30,783,988	159,950,059

*Decrease.

Canadian Bank Clearings.

Canadian business conditions in 1910, as indicated by the volume of bank clearings, made much better comparison with 1909 than was the case in the United States. Exchanges totaled $6,153,702,857, against $5,204,955,353 in 1909, an increase of $949,000,000, or 18.2 per cent. This country showed a loss of 1.3 per cent.

While New York City's exchanges increased 6.1 per cent, clearings in Montreal gained 11.8 per cent. There was something of a parallel in the comparison of records in the east and west, however. Along with Montreal Toronto showed a gain of 10.9 per cent, but Halifax barely reached the 1909 record. Winnipeg, on the other hand, gained 22.5 per cent, Victoria passed the eastern city of St. John by a large margin, Vancouver gained 54.3 per cent, and

CHICAGO STOCK EXCHANGE

Description.	Shares.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
American Can	100	9	9	9	9
Do pfd	100	77½	77½	77½	77½
Amer. Telephone	100	141¾	141¾	141¾	141¾
Booth Fisheries	200	41½	41½	41½	41½
Do ctfs	200	40	40	40	40
Chi. Pneu. Tool	28	42	42	41½	41½
Chi. Rys. ser. 2	175	23½	23½	23½	23½
Chi. Telephone	25	119¾	120	119¾	120
Com. Edison	247	115	115½	115	115½
Corn Prod. Ref	* 35	15⅞	15¾	15¾	15⅞
Diamond Match	461	92	92	91	91
Ill. Brick	10	65	65	65	65
McCrum-Howell	15	63	63	63	63
Northwestern L pfd	90	60	60	60	60
People's Gas	150	107	107	107	107
Sears-Roebuck	5	187	187	187	187
Street's Stable Car	15	10	10	10	10
Swift & Co	55	101	101	101	101
United States Steel	1,240	73⅞	74⅜	73½	74½

Total shares sold, 3,251.

Closing bid and asked prices were as follows:

	Bid.	Asked.
American Can	9	9¼
Do pfd	77	77½
American Shipbuilding	73	75
Do pfd	110¼	110¾
Booth Fisheries	41	42
Do pfd	67	70
Chi. City Ry	175	190
Chi. Pneu. Tool	41	42
Chi. Rys. series 1	91½	95
Do series 2	23½	24
Do series 3	8½	9
Do series 4	6	6¼
Chicago Subway	4¼	4½
Chicago Telephone	118	120
Chi. Title & Trust	151	153
Commonwealth Edison	115	115¼
Diamond Match	91	92
Illinois Brick	65	65½
Kas. City Ry. & Lt.	20	22
Do pfd	68	71
Metropolitan El	21¼	22⅛
Do pfd	67¼	69
National Biscuit	116	118
Do pfd	124	126
National Carbon	115	119
Do pfd	118	118
Northwestern El	20	22
Do pfd	60	65
People's Gas	107	107½
Quaker Oats	163½	170
Do pfd	103½	104
Sears-Roebuck	186	187
Do pfd	119¼	120
South Side El	68	70
Swift & Co	100⅝	101
United Boxboard	6½	7

BONDS.

$19,000 Chicago City Ry. 5s	102⅝@102⅝
1,000 Chicago Railways 5s	97⅛
10,500 Diamond Match deb. 6s, regis	100¼@100⅝
2,000 Metropolitan El. gold 4s	82½
7,000 Metropolitan El. exten 4s	78½
11,000 Northwestern El. 4s	90¾@90½
Total bonds sold, $50,500.	

RAILROAD EARNINGS.

Detailed figures of November operations by the Union and Southern Pacific, filed with the interstate commerce commission, show that with a negligible decrease in operating revenue Union Pacific's transportation expenses gained 12 per cent, the ratio being 26.35, against 22.81 per cent in November, 1909. Traffic expenses also increased and the only reduction was in the maintenance of way and structures, where an 11.6 per cent decrease was effected. Operating income for the month lost 6.8 per cent.

Southern Pacific effected a decrease in transportation expenses, keeping the ratio about at the 1909 figures, and the increase in expenses was due to heavier maintenance work. The month's loss in operating income was 10.5 per cent. Figures compare:

UNION PACIFIC.

November—	1910.	Increase.
Total revs	$ 4,983,427	*$ 8,472
Total expenses	2,840,899	164,422
Total net	2,490,711	*172,308
Operating income	2,470,418	*171,046
From July 1—		
Total revenues	24,906,611	783,004
Total expenses	12,112,727	1,490,325
Total net	12,767,995	*725,551
Operating income	12,041,605	*739,643

SOUTHERN PACIFIC.

Total revenue	$ 8,197,622	*$ 187,812
Total expenses	4,487,767	125,750
Total net	3,760,836	*291,341
Operating income	3,485,779	*412,341
From July 1—		
Total revenue	41,516,777	*15,276
Total expenses	22,435,865	1,361,293
Total net	19,308,095	*1,462,572
Operating income	17,982,825	*1,665,772

*Decrease.

UNITED RAILWAYS OF ST. LOUIS.

With an increase of 3.94 per cent in gross earnings over the first eleven months of 1910 the United Railways of St. Louis reports a gain of 10.06 per cent in expenses. Further, other income decreased and various charges increased, causing a loss of 20.19 per cent in surplus. The final surplus is equivalent to 5.84 per cent on the $16,983,200 preferred, against 7.07 per cent in the corresponding period of 1909. In 1909 5 per cent dividend were paid. Last year the dividend was suspended after two quarterly declarations, due to the accumulation of about $1,000,000 floating debt. Figures for eleven months compare:

	1910.	1909.	Increase, pct.
Gross	$10,553,912	$10,154,366	3.94
Expenses	5,681,476	5,161,763	10.06
Net	$ 4,872,436	$ 4,992,603	*2.40
Other income	87,928	38,737	*2.13
Charges	3,962,326	3,830,360	3.17
Surplus	956,038	1,200,410	*20.19

*Decrease.

Calgary 51.5 per cent. Figures for the cities compare:

	1910.	1909.
Montreal	$2,068,558,566	$1,866,646,829
Toronto	1,663,954,254	1,437,700,477
Winnipeg	952,415,182	770,649,322
Vancouver	444,988,818	287,528,944
Ottawa	173,181,573	153,861,973
Quebec	123,710,055	118,806,773
Calgary	150,677,031	99,453,662
Halifax	95,855,316	96,278,462
Hamilton	161,226,496	84,803,936
St. John	77,843,646	72,404,560
Victoria	101,367,074	70,695,852
London	67,154,297	62,093,337
Edmonton	71,636,122	51,561,012
Totals	$6,063,301,645	$5,190,802,109
Regina	90,790,189	*14,153,244
Brandon	121,278,869	
Lethbridge	19,378,091	
Saskatoon	59,004,823	
Totals	$6,153,702,857	$5,204,955,353

*3 months. †9 months. ‡4 months. §2 months.

As to Booth Fisheries.

Relative to the rumored withdrawal of F. C. Letts as president of the Booth Fisheries company Mr. Letts denied that he is considering resigning. "As 'The Tribune' stated a few days ago," he said, "new forces are coming into control of the Fisheries stock I believe they are friendly to me, and I do not anticipate any change in the management."

Mr. Letts has recently pointed out the changes effected during his tenure of office as the operating head of the company, in particular the increase in the company's gross business and the lowering of the operating costs. He has repeatedly expressed disapproval of the lowering of the bonded indebtedness, preferring to utilize funds for the enlargement of business. This is in line with the refinancing plans under consideration by the new financial interests.

Dividends Declared.

The American Steel Foundries company has declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1¼ per cent.

The Eastman Kodak company of New Jersey has declared an extra dividend of 5 per cent on the common stock, payable March 1 to stock of record Jan. 31.

The Baltimore and Ohio Railroad company has declared the regular semi-annual dividends of 2 per cent on its preferred stock and 3 per cent on the common, both payable March 1 to stock of record Feb. 1.

The Havana Electric company has declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1¾ per cent on the preferred and common stock, payable Feb. 11 to stock of record Jan. 21. Books close Jan. 21; reopen Feb. 12.

Money and Exchange.

Money in Chicago steady at 4½@5 per cent on commercial paper and local collateral loans and 5@6 per cent over the counter. Foreign exchange was easy at the following quotations:

Sterling—	Demand.	Sixty days.
Actual	486	483¼
Commercial	486¼	482
Paris francs—		
Actual	5 19⅝	5 22½
Commercial	5 20⅜	5 24⅜
German marks—		
Actual	95	94 3-16
Commercial	94⅞	94

New York exchange sold at par.
Chicago clearings, $44,924,840.

Chicago Securities.

On the local stock exchange Diamond Match shares were weak. The price worked down to 91, after opening at 92. The 6 per cent debentures were quoted at 100¼@100⅝.

Booth Fisheries common was moderately active at 40. Swift & Co. shares were steady at 101. Commonwealth Edison was inclined to be firm, closing at 115⅛, against an opening at 115

STOCKS RECOVER RECENT LOSSES

Trading in New York Market Results in Fractional Gains in Many Issues.

TONE IS PROFESSIONAL.

Further Gains in Cash from Subtreasury Reported by Local Banks.

[NEW YORK TIMES FINANCIAL LEADER.]

New York, Jan. 12.—[Special.]—The main movement of prices on the stock exchange today was toward the recovery from the declines brought about in the late dealings on Wednesday by the announcement of the Pennsylvania's new financing through an issue of stock. The Pennsylvania itself, however, offered an exception to the general trend, for it was again heavy, closing the day a point down and at a loss above 3 points from its quotations prior to the news of the new stock issue.

The market is so professional as to make fluctuations of little significance, but it nevertheless is interesting in the first place because it discloses dislike of the professional element for new financial programs, and again because dips as well as the dullness fail to provoke any real volume of selling.

Fractional Advances General.

At the end of the session most stocks dealt in at all were up fractions or more compared with Wednesday night's level, while Union Pacific, Reading, and Steel displayed substantial advances. Of definite news of financial importance the day was barren, an exception being the government's return on December's domestic exports, but there was plenty of gossip of the kind which interests the stock exchange to take the place of news. There was, for example the insistent report in connection with Reading's strength that stock would be issued at attractive terms to take up some $18,000,000 of high interest bearing bonds maturing in June, and for some reason this prospect of a stock authorization for Reading prompted a rise, where the actual announcement of a similar offering by Pennsylvania dragged that issue down.

Another rumor originating on the floor of the exchange was to the effect that New York Central is about to issue $40,000,000 of 5 per cent bonds, and assertions from banking quarters that the story is premature, to say the least, failed to check its circulation. United States Steel shares responded to the unofficial decision to maintain existing price schedules by a fractional rise, and the stock was strengthened doubtless by the confirmed report of the reopening of the Gary rail plant.

Record Total of Exports.

December's exports for domestic products made up a record total, thanks to the shipment of $108,000,000 worth of cotton. This export of cotton compares with shipments valued at $53,856,000 in the same month of 1909, and $72,356,000 in 1908, and in point of value, at least, is a record. Losses were recorded in practically all other shipments, but cotton served to carry the figure to $183,611,000, and it is safe to assume the full foreign trade statement for the month should be highly favorable, since it is inconceivable that our exports can offset such a balance from cotton.

Further gains in cash from the subtreasury were reported by local banks, and money rates tended toward greater ease, since the unreported movements of money have undoubtedly been equally favorable. The foreign exchange market was firmer. The participation of bankers is counted upon to offset the lukewarmness on the part of investors or investment institutions here. The weekly report of the Bank of England noted a sharp recovery from the demands experienced by the bank in connection with the year-end financing. Its reserve percentage rose from 35.40 on Thursday of last week to 47.88.

Money on call, easier, 2¼@3 per cent; ruling rate, 2¼; closing bid 2¼, offered at 3%. Time loans more active; 60 days and 90 days, 3¼@3½ per cent; six months, 3¼@3¾ per cent. Close: Prime mercantile paper 4@4½ per cent. Sterling exchange, steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.8280@4.8290 for 60 day bills, and $4.8770 for demand. Commercial bills $4.81¾@4.82¼. Bar silver, 54½c. Mexican dollars, 45c. Government bonds steady. Railroad bonds irregular.

IN THE FOREIGN STOCK MARKET.

LONDON, Jan. 12.—Money and discount rates were firmer today. The stock market was generally quiet. Most of the business was in foreign securities and kaffirs at hardening prices. Consols advanced on government purchases, and the better statement of the Bank of England helped to make the closing steady. Portuguese bonds were easy on strike reports. American securities were quiet at fractional advances during the forenoon. The proposed new issues checked business, but Wall street bought in the afternoon and caused a smart improvement and a steady closing.

The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes:

Total reserve increased	£ 1,582,000
Circulation decreased	622,000
Bullion increased	959,444
Other securities decreased	12,198,000
Other deposits decreased	8,969,000
Public deposits decreased	3,700,000
Notes reserve increased	1,580,000
Government securities decreased	2,000,000

The proportion of the bank's reserve to liability is 47.88 per cent; last week it was 35.40 per cent.

LONDON CLOSING STOCKS.

	London, Jan. 12 equity.	N.Y. Jan. 11 equity.	London. close.	N.Y. close.	N.Y. Today's close.
Amal. Copper	64⅝	62⅞	64⅞	63¼	62¾
Atchison	105¾	102⅞	106⅛	102¾	102
Do pfd	106¼	102¾	106¼	102½	102½
B. & O.	106⅜	105⅝	106¾	106¼	105⅜
Can. Pac.	210¼	205¾	210⅝	205⅝	204
C. & O.	85	82½	85	82¼	81
C. G. W.	22⅝	22¼	23¼	22⅝	22⅝
C., M. & St. P.	128½	124⅞	128	124⅜	123⅜
D. & R. G.	29⅜	28¼	30	28½	28½
Do pfd	77½	69½	77½	69¼	69¼
Erie	28¼	27	28⅜	27¼	27¾
Do 1st pfd	47½	45⅝	47½	45¼	45½
Do 2d pfd	36	33	36⅛	35¼	35
Illinois Cent	138	135	138	135	134
L. & N.	148½	144¼	149	144¾	144¾
M., K. & T.	34⅞	33⅜	34¼	33⅜	33⅜
N. Y. C.	113¼	110⅜	114¼	110⅝	109¾
N. & W.	104½	101¼	104¾	101¼	101
O. & W.	42⅜	41¼	42⅜	41¼	40⅝
Penn.	65¾	65¼	65¾	65¼	65⅜
Reading	80¼	196	80	155¼	154⅝
So. Pacific	119¼	115⅝	118⅝	114⅝	115⅛
So. Railway	27¼	26½	27¼	26½	26¼
Do pfd	64	61⅝	64	61⅝	61⅞
Union Pacific	176⅝	172¼	176¼	172¼	172⅝
Do pfd	96	93¾	96½	92¾	93
U. S. Steel	77	75⅞	76¼	75¼	75⅜
Do pfd	121½	118	121¼	118	117⅝
Wabash	16¼	15⅝	16⅛	16	15⅝
Do pfd	35	34	35¼	34½	33½

O'neals for money 79 1-16
Consols for acct. 79 9-16
De Beers. 18⅝

Bar Silver—Steady, 25 5-16d per ounce. Money—@3¾ per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 3⅜ per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for three months' bills is 3⅝@3 13-16 per cent.

PARIS, Jan. 12.—Prices were firm on the bourse today. Private rate of discount 3¼ lower at 2¾ per cent. Closing: Three per cent rentes, 97 francs 57½ centimes for the account. Exchange on London 25 francs 20 centimes for checks.

The weekly statement of the Bank of France shows the following changes:

	Francs.
Notes in circulation decreased	309,975,000
Treasury deposits decreased	23,950,000
General deposits decreased	6,850,000
Gold in hand decreased	5,978,000
Silver in hand decreased	1,775,000
Bills discounted decreased	68,550,000
Advances decreased	26,400,000

BERLIN, Jan. 12.—Trading was dull and prices generally were weaker on the bourse today. Exchange on London, 20 marks 47 pfennigs for checks. Money, 4 per cent. Private discount rate, 3½ per cent.

BRUSSELS, Jan. 12.—The rate of discount of the Bank of Belgium was reduced from 5 to 4½ per cent today.

IN THE BOSTON STOCK MARKET.

BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 12.—[Special.]—Amalgamated copper opened today. Calumet and Hecla went down to 500. Other local specialties were neglected. Telephone was firm. Opposition to the merger of copper properties controlled by Calumet and Hecla is taking shape. A well known Boston house is sending out a circular advising holders of subsidiary stocks not to accept the offer of Calumet and Hecla until satisfied the offer made for the stocks is a good one. Call money, 4@5 per cent; time loans, short dates, 4@5 per cent; time loans six months, 4½@5 per cent; time loans, year, 4½@5 per cent.

Bucket Shop Inquiry Continues.

Mrs. Anna Lynch and Miss Helen McCarthy, former employes of the Capital Investment company, which was raided recently, gave further testimony yesterday before the federal grand jury which is investigating a charge that the concern was a bucket shop.

NEW YORK—STOCK TRANSACTIONS

Description.	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close. Jan. 12.	Close. Jan. 11.
Allis-Chal. pfd	100	28	28	28	28	....
Amal. Copper	7,800	62¾	63	62¾	62⅞	62¾
Am. Beet Sugar	300	39¾	40¾	39¾	40⅜	40¾
Am. Brake Shoe	100	90¾	90¾	90½	90⅝	....
Do pfd	100	130¾	130¾	130¾	130¾	....
Am. Can pfd	100	77½	77½	77½	77⅝	77⅜
Am. Car Fdy	300	51¾	51¾	51½	51	....
Am. Cot. Oil	400	57	57	56½	56⅝	56⅝
Am. Hide & Lea.	400	4	4	4	4	....
Am. Ice	200	18	18	18	18	....
Am. Linseed pfd	100	30¾	30¾	30½	30½	31½
Am. Loco	200	39	39½	39	39½	38⅝
Am. Smelting	6,000	74	74⅜	74	74⅝	74¼
Do pfd	400	104	104¼	104	104¼	104
Am. Steel Fdy	100	44	44	44	44	44⅜
Am. Tel. & Cable	100	83	83	83	83	....
Am. Tel. & Tel.	2,800	141⅞	143¼	141⅝	141⅞	141⅜
Am. Tob. pfd	200	93½	93½	93½	93½	93½
Am. Wool	100	31⅝	31⅝	31⅜	31⅝	31⅜
Atchison	1,800	102⅝	102⅝	102¼	102¼	102
Do pfd	300	102¾	102¾	102⅝	102¾	102⅝
Balt. & Ohio	1,700	105½	106	105½	105¾	105½
Do pfd	100	90¼	90¼	90¼	90½	....
Beth. Steel	100	29	29	29	29	....
B. R. Trans.	1,000	76¾	76¾	76	76	76¾
Can. Pacific	2,400	205½	206¼	203½	204	204
Cent. Leather	3,800	29¼	29¾	29¼	29⅜	29¼
Do pfd	600	100¼	101¾	100¼	101	100
Ches. & Ohio	1,300	81⅝	81⅝	81	81⅜	81
C., M. & St. P.	3,400	123⅝	124¾	123⅜	124⅛	123¾
C. & N. W.	700	142⅜	143	142¾	143	142¾
Colo. So., 1st pfd	200	70	70	70	70	75¾
C. F. & I.	100	31¾	31¾	31¼	31¼	....
Cuban Sugar	100	35½	35½	35½	35½	....
Con. Gas	7,300	140¾	141¾	140¾	140⅝	140⅝
Corn Prod.	600	13⅝	14¾	13¾	14¼	13⅞
D. & R. G.	200	28½	28¾	28½	28½	28¾
Erie	100	27⅜	27⅞	27⅜	27⅝	27⅝
Do 1st pfd	200	46	46	45⅝	45⅝	....
Gen. Elec.	1,600	151¾	151¾	149⅞	150¼	150¼
Goldfield Con.	2,400	7⅜	7½	7¼	7¼	7⅜
*Gt. Nor. pfd	1,000	128	134	123	123¾	124⅜
Havana Elec pfd	100	93¾	93¾	93¾	93¾	....
Int. Harv. pfd	300	123¾	125¼	123¾	123½	....
Int. Met.	1,200	19¼	19¼	19¼	19¼	19¼
Do pfd	200	54¾	54¾	53⅝	53⅝	53½
Int. Pump	100	40¾	40¾	40½	40⅝	40
Iowa Central	400	18¾	18¾	18¾	18¾	19¾
K. C. So.	400	32½	32½	32½	32½	32½
Laclede Gas	1,800	110¾	111¼	110¾	111	110¾
Lehigh Valley	2,600	175¾	176¼	175¼	176⅜	175¾
L. & Nash.	400	144¾	144¾	144½	144⅝	144
Long Island	3,100	61¼	61¼	60½	60½	....
Minn. & St. L.	300	28¼	28½	26½	26¾	28⅝
M., K. & T.	2,100	32⅞	34½	32⅞	34¼	32⅝
Mo. Pacific	900	47	48	47	47¾	48
Nat. Lead	600	54	55	54	55	54½
Nevada Con.	1,000	18⅝	18¾	18⅝	18⅝	18⅝
N. Y. Cent.	7,800	109¾	110¼	109¼	110	109¼
N. Y., N. H. & H.	200	150	150	150	150	....
N. Y., O. & W.	1,300	41	41¼	41	42	40⅝
Norfolk & W.	1,000	100¾	101¾	100¾	101¼	101
Do pfd	100	90	90	90	90	....
North Am.	100	65	65	65	65	64¼
*New. Pac.	3,300	117	117	116	116⅜	117¼
Pac. T. & Tel.	500	46	46	45⅜	46⅜	45⅜
Pennsylvania	42,800	127¼	128¼	125⅝	128¼	127¼
Peo. Gas	500	107	107⅛	107	107¼	106¾
Phila. Co.	500	103¾	103¾	102	103	102
Pitts. Coal	100	17½	17½	17½	17⅜	17⅜
Pullman	200	159⅝	159⅝	159	159	....
Ry. Steel Spgs.	100	31¾	31¾	31¾	31¾	31
Reading	138,500	154⅝	156⅛	154¾	156⅛	154⅜
Do 2d pfd	500	96	96	95¾	96	....
Rep. I. & S.	600	31¾	31¾	31¼	31¼	....
Rock Island	1,600	29¾	30	29¾	29¼	29⅝
St. L. & S. F. 2d pfd	300	39	39¼	38⅝	38⅝	38½
St. Joe & G. I. 1st pfd	100	50	50	50	50	....
Do 2d pfd	100	40	40	40	40	....
So. Pacific	8,500	118⅜	118⅝	118⅛	118⅝	118¼
So. Ry.	700	26¼	27	26¼	27	26¾
Do pfd	200	62	62	61¾	61⅝	61⅝
Tenn. Copper	100	32⅜	32⅜	32⅜	32⅜	32¼
Texas Pac.	100	26	26	26	26	....
Third Ave.	400	10¼	10½	10¼	10¼	11
Tol., St. L. & W.	400	23¼	23½	23¼	23⅜	....
Do pfd	300	50	50½	50	50⅜	53½
Union Pacific	40,900	172⅞	173⅝

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PEOPLES GAS LIGHT & COKE COMPANY
(of Chicago.)
The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Peoples Gas Light & Coke Company will be held at the office of the Company in Peoples Gas Building, corner of Michigan Avenue and Adams Street, Chicago, on Friday morning, February 10, 1911, at 11 o'clock. The transfer books will close in accordance with the by-laws, at the close of business on Friday, January 20, 1911, and will reopen on Saturday morning, February 11, 1911, at 10 o'clock. GEORGE O. KNAPP, President.

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BUSINESS, COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL SECTION

SELLS WEST SIDE SITE FOR $88,000

Store and Flat Property on South Boulevard Bought by Julius Schnering.

FOR NEW WATER SYSTEM.

Realty Men Seek Co-operation with Insurance Agents at Weekly Luncheon.

A large transaction in west side store and flat property is the sale by Arthur B. Cody to Julius Schnering of the premises on South boulevard, at the southwest corner of South Central avenue, for $88,000, subject to an incumbrance of $34,000.

The lot has a north frontage of 138 feet, with a depth of 125 feet. The 92 feet at the corner is improved with three story and basement store and flat building, while the remaining 46 feet is occupied by the Central Theater building. In the rear of this there is a factory, and on South Central avenue is a three story store and flat building. The gross annual rent is about $12,000.

Record was made of the sale by Alfred L. Baker to Alexander Hannah of the property at the southwest corner of Madison and Market streets, 40x99 feet, with five story and basement brick building. A consideration of $1 is given in the deed, but the price is stated to have been around $175,000. Mr. Hannah secured $140,000 of the purchase money by a trust deed to Mr. Baker for five years, at 5 per cent. Albert L. Strauss negotiated the deal.

Alexander J. W. Copelin has purchased from James J. Parker an undivided one-third interest and from J. Grafton Parker an undivided two-thirds interest in the six apartment building, with 50x150 feet of ground, in Madison avenue, 204 feet south of Forty-ninth street, west front. A consideration of $1 is given in the deed, the transfer being subject to an incumbrance of $20,000. In part payment Mr. Copelin conveyed to the Parkers the residence property in Kimbark avenue, 100 feet north of Fifty-second street, with lot 50x177 feet, east front.

Dickaron Deal Is Closed.

The sale of the Livingston T. Dickaron residence at the northwest corner of Ellis avenue and Fifteenth street, has been closed and the deed filed for record. The purchaser is John P. Conner, a banker of Dallas, Tex., who acquired from Col. Dickason 80x297 feet of ground 75 feet from the corner, together with the large sixteen room brick residence, while from Architect Horatio R. Wilson Mr. O'Connor acquired the 77x197 feet at the corner, the consideration in the given in either instance, but it is understood that it was about $100,000 for the two holdings, which formerly made up the Rawson homestead. J. L. Hess was the broker.

Robert L. Thompson has conveyed to Benjamin Skidmore jr. of Marinette, Wis., the flat property in Racine avenue 100 feet north of Montrose avenue, with 6x125 feet of ground, west front, for nominal consideration, subject to two trust deeds.

The property at the southeast corner of Princeton avenue and Thirty-third street, 22x125 feet, with brick improvements, has been sold by William T. Wetmore to Amy Koch and others for $15,000, subject to incumbrances of $6,000.

E. E. Koehler & Co. closed another lease in the Hotel Sherman, the property of Joseph Belfeld to Koehn & Koehn. It is four doors north of the hotel entrance on Clark street and is leased for ten years at a term rent of $30,000. This gives Koehn & Koehn dealers in postcards, four stores in the loop districts.

Urge High Pressure System.

High pressure water system in the downtown district, noncombustible roofing, and the importance of fire insurance to real estate men were subjects dwelt on at the weekly luncheon of the Chicago real estate board. Clarence S. Pellet, James S. Richard, and Herbert Darlington were the speakers.

"The fire insurance men and the Chicago real estate board should continues to cooperate in trying to have a high pressure water system installed in the downtown district," said Mr. Pellet. "The project has been blocked by the unsettled subway problem. As soon as that is settled, we must go ahead."

"There is plenty of opportunity for cooperation between real estate and fire insurance men," said Mr. Hubbard. "Whenever a loan is made on improved property the fire insurance payable to the trustee or mortgage is always an important part of the security to the loan and the entire purchasing the mortgages or notes either demand insurance policies as collateral to the debt—or a statement and guaranty from the real estate agent that the proper amount of fire insurance will be maintained so long as the debt remains against the property.

"As a fire insurance agent I believe that the mortgage on improved property helps to create a larger demand for insurance than would be carried if there were no incumbrances."

Mr. Darlington recommended that agents and brokers should cooperate in securing a clause in leases defining provisions for canceling leases in case of fire.

Name Speakers for Banquet.

The list of speakers and the subjects to be discussed at the approaching annual banquet of the Chicago Association of Commerce at the Hotel La Salle Thursday night next were given out.

Dean Walter T. Sumner will pronounce the invocation, following which there will be the address of the new president, Roy B. Tabor. The other toasts are:

"Chicago—A Part of Illinois," President Edmund J. James, University of Illinois; "The City—By a Commuter," Nathan G. Moore; "A Few Minutes' Talk," William Perrinore Cooper, judge of the Superior court; "News Gathering in the Russia-Japanese War," John F. Bass.

Real Estate Transfers.

ROGERS PARK.

Chase-av., 100 w of Central-st., n f, 30x150, incumb. $2,000, Jan. 9 [Harry L. Schmitz to Albert Shostrand] ..... $ 3,500

Ridge-av., n w cor Pratt-av., e f, 60x167, incumb. $1,500, Jan. 9 [Russell Jamison to Leona F. Lindsley, Crystal Lake, Ill.] 5,500

LAKE VIEW.

Barry-av., 220 w of W. Ravenswood-pk., s f, 2x115, incumb. $1,500, Dec. 1, 1910 [Samuel Brown jr. to Thos. F. Barrington] 3,024

Belmont-av., 270 e of Evanston-av., n f, 54½x125, Nov. 28, 1910 [Oliver W. Ruggles to Alfred L. Wiltenberg] 2,500

Barling-st., 150 e of Ockdale-av., e f, 25x121, Dec. 10, 1910 [James A. Colehour to Hermann Bock] 1,375

Clark-st., 253 s of Bryn Mawr-av., w f, 42x302, Dec. 7, 1910 [Chas. H. Olson to John K. Schmidt] 4,292

Lincoln-av., 24 s of Newport-av., e f, 24x125, Jan. 8 [estate of W. F. Kussmann to Bertha Schubert] 1,627

Marshfield-av., 166 n of Cornelia, w f, 25x125, incumb. $2,600, Jan. 11 [Jessie M. Bowen to Johnna E. Cornell] 3,000

Oakdale-av., 228 w of Lincoln-av., s f, 19.1x125, incumb. $1,500, Dec. 6, 1910 [John F. Hill to Rose Lyon] 3,250

Racine-av., 100 s of Montrose-av., w f, 66x125, sub. to two trust deeds, Jan. 9 [Robert L. Thompson to Benjamin Skidmore jr., all of Marinette, Wis.] 1

JEFFERSON.

Bertsau-av., 316 w of N. 48th-av., n f, 33x125, incumb. $1,700, Dec. 22, 1910 [Agnes Albrecht to Arthur W. Dickinson] 1

Grand-av., 24 e of N. 50th-ct., s f, 51x125, Jan. 9 [David N. Hanson to Maria Scharmer] 1,000

Grand-av., 150 e of Central Park, s f, 50x125, Jan. 11 [Chas. E. Scheubert to Simon J. Klauber] 4,100

Troy-st., N., 3424 e f, 25x124, Dec. 22, 1910 [Geo. A. Wentsch to Louis A. Seeberger] 3,900

NORTH TOWN.

Gault-ct., 104 s of Elm-st., w f, 26x100, Jan. 11 [Benedette Puzalone to Felice Lavelle] 4,000

Indiana-st., 149 e of Wells, s f, 33x100, incumb. $9,000, Oct. 13, 1910 [Rose Berge to Eleanor Gehnel] 10

SOUTH TOWN.

Parnell-st., 185 n of Lyman, e f, 25x109, Dec. 8, 1910 [Annie Byrne to Mary Lawler] 1

Madison-st., s w cor Market, n f, 40x99, Jan. 10 [Alfred L. Baker to Alex. Hannah] 10

Trust deed, part purchase, Jan. 10, 5 years, 5 per cent [Alexander W. Hannah to Alfred L. Baker of Lake Forest, Ill.] 140,000

Prospect-av., 150 s of 29th, e f, 22x115, Jan. 10 [Christena Brocks to Szczepan Przybysz] 2,175

Princeton-av., s w cor 33d-st., e f, 22x125, incumb. $6,000, Jan. 4 [Wm. T. Wetmore to Aug. Koch et al.] 15,000

Rhodes-av., 220 s of 51st-st., e f, 22.6x164½, Jan. 10 [Margt. J. Martin et al to Louis A. Ellenbecker] 3,100

Shields-av., 150 e of Lowe-av., n f, 25 to alley, Jan. 11 [John M. Kelly to Jakub Stanek] 2,100

Ash-st., 172 w of Halsted-st., n f, 20x143, Jan. 6 [August Tysler to Kazimaras Bamlinas] 2,400

Woodlawn Park, 120 e of Cottage Grove-av., n f, 50x120, Jan. 7 [Lura W. Rockwood to Joseph A. Lehman] 6,250

HYDE PARK.

St. Lawrence-av., 22 s of 48th-st., w f, 214½x128, incumb. $5,000, Jan. 9 [Frederick H. Bartlett to Lennox Shepherd, Milwaukee, Wis.] 1

Madison-st., 294 s of 49th-st., w f, 50x150, incumb. $20,000, Dec. 31, 1910 [James J. Parker to Alex. W. Copelin] 1

Same ppty., und. 2-3 int., incumb. $20,000, Dec. 31, 1910 [F. Grafton Parker to Alex. W. Copelin] 1

Grand-blvd., 100 s of 42d-st., e f, 50x150, Dec. 22, 1910 [Wm. J. Carney to Albert E. Ohlander] 12,500

Michigan-av., 100 s of 41st-st., f. 50x100, Jan. 5 [Nelson A. Steele of Waukegan, Ill., to Annie M. Parr] 6,250

Kimbark-av., 150 s f 54th-st., 20x165, Dec. 27, 1910 [Mary Yariott et al., by M. in C. to Sara E. Foote] 5,500

Kimbark-av., 100 n of 52d-st., e f, 50x171, Dec. 31, 1910 [James H. Copelin and husband, Alexander J. W., und. ½ int., to J. Grafton Parker] 1

Same ppty., und. ½ int., Dec. 31, 1910 [same to James J. Parker] 1

Kimbark-av., s w cor 57th-st., w f, 21x165, incumb. $3,200, Jan. 1, 1904 [Adolph F. Kramer to Thomas B. Weatherton] 6,000

5464-5466 Monroe-av., e f, 49x150, incumb. $15,000, Jan. 9 [John R. Daniels to Thos. H. Colman] 27,000

Superior-av., 250 n of 86th-st., w f, 22x140, Dec. 23, 1910 [Mrs. Josephine Powers to Jan Kolanzzyk] 1,000

Commercial-av., 273 s of 133d-st., w f, 371½x125, and q. c. p., Dec. 29, 1910 [est. August H. Strom to Katharine Strom] 1,415

Ellis-av., 75 s of 50th-st., w f, 66x207, with 100 x f cor 50th-st., 107 s of Ellis av., "L" shaped, Jan. 5 [Livingston T. Dickason to John F. O'Connor, Dallas, Tex.] 1

Ellis-av., n e cor 50th-st., w f, 75x199, Jan. 10 [Horatio R. Wilson to John F. O'Connor, Dallas, Tex.] 3

Constance-av., 261 s of 79th-st., w f, 40x181, and q. c. p., Jan. 9 [Frederick H. Bartlett to Mary E. Stinson] 1

LAKE.

Western-av., 96 n of 50th-st., w f, 32x126, Jan. 11 [Albert Hoefeld to Lena Elisabeth Lehr] 2,720

Wood-st., n w cor 44th, e f, 40x124, Jan. 9 [Anton Masla to Jos. C. Vlasak] 1

Same ppty., Jan. 9 [Jos. C. Vlasak to Annie Masla] 1

Ashland-av., 150 s of W. 39th-st., w f, 100x125, m. or l., Jan. 10 [John H. Lavin to Margaret Lavin] 3,000

Winchester-av., 205 n of 52d-st., w f, 25x124, Nov. 12, 1910 [Frank Vorta to Frank Uher] 2,550

Ashland-av., 125 s of 65th-st., e f, 25x123, and q. c. p., Dec. 9, 1910 [Annie E. Byrne to Mary E. and Anna E. Lawler and Margaret Lillian Donovan] 1

California-av., 100 n of 52d-st., e f, 50x125, Dec. 27, 1910 [Herman C. Hammerstroen to William Pavlik] 2,000

Eraterna-av., 300 s of 95th-st., w f, 25x153, Nov. 16, 1910 [Arthur W. McGovney quitclaims to Michael D. Walsh] 2,200

Harvard-av., 71 n of 80th-st., e f, 25x124, Jan. 6 [Frederick H. Bartlett to Mary Tyrrell] 900

Laflin-st., 133 n of 68th, e f, 25x124, Dec. 12, 1910 [Engewood B. and L. Assn. to John H. Dougherty] 1,740

Peoria-st., 172 n of 80th, w f, 33x124, Jan. 4 [Martin L. Hill to Mary A. Bowley] 1,485

79th-st., s e cor Green, n f, 132x112, Dec. 15, 1910 [Martha L. Hill to Frederick J. Glabe] 1

WEST TOWN.

Ashland 2d add. pt. lot 24, Balisteer's sub., pt. block 18, lying bet. Ogden-av. and r of w Met. "L," incumb. $2,000, Jan. 9 [J. Byron Turek to Robert C. Thorne] 10

Same ppty., Jan. 10 [Robert C. Thorne quitclaims to Julia A. Wendell] 1

Douglas-blvd., s e cor Turner-av., n f, 50x164, incumb. $2,500, Nov. 29, 1910 [Peter Pritikin to Isadore D. Fador] 6,000

18th-st., 100 w of Laflin, n f, 20x124, Jan. 9 [Vaclav Kazalicky to John Vermichek] 6,000

18th-st., W. 44 e of Morgan, s f, 22x108, Jan. 3 [Louise Lewerenz to Stanislav Beizik] 4,300

40th-av., S., 191 n of 22d-st., w f, 25x129, Jan. 4, 1904 [Vaclav Orteiger to Bohemian Workingmen's B. L. & H. Assn.] 8,400

Flournoy-st., 113 w of Homan-av., s f, 30x124, incumb. $3,800, Jan. 9 [John Hodgson to Stephen G. Hodgson] 7,500

Haddon-av., 170 e of Central, e f, 33x125, incumb. $2,000, Nov. 25, 1910 [Joseph Wassell to Charles E. Palm] 1

Haddon-av., 262 e of Campbell-av., s f, 30x120, Jan. 10 [Bernhard Loeff to Paul Alebrod] 6,750

Hastings-st., 2147, n f, 25x124, Jan 3 [Sam Rosen to Lelia Marr] 1

Harvard-st., 50 e of S. 41st-av., n f, 24x129, incumb. $1,650, Jan. 3 [Thomas Bresnahan to Dominick Gara] 5,800

Kedzie-av., 300 n of 22d-st., w f, 25x123, Jan 7 [Frank J. Welser to George Berger] 2,500

Lawndale-av., 300 s of 18th-st., e f, 24x125, Nov. 22, 1910 [Michael J. Powers to Annie E. Powers] 1

South-blvd., s w cor S. Central-av., n f, 183x125, incumb. $34,000, Jan. 10, 1910 [Arthur B. Cody to Julius Schnering] 88,000

Beach-av., 126 e of St. Louis, n f, 24x123, Dec. 15, 1910 [Continental Commercial National Bank of Chicago to August and Marie Severson] 3,100

Cornelia-st., 261 w of Western-av., s f, 24x124, Jan. 11 [Louis Bartels to Peter W. Eredfeldt] 850

Haddon-av., 25 e of Newton-st., s f, 26x82, Jan. 10 [Frank Reffke to Stanley Kokot] 4,950

Humboldt-st., 25 s of Greenwood-terrace, e f, 25x125, Jan 11 [Joachim Gehl to Albert Stephenson] 2,000

Iowa-st., 150 w of Prairie-av., n f, 50x119, Incumb. $2,000, Jan. 10 [Andrew F. Soderholm to Frederick P. Soderholm] 4,500

Lumber-st., s w cor Canal, n w f, 227x213, Jan. 3 [The Carbonic Dioxide Corp. to The Liquid Carbonic Co.] 10

Maxwell-st., 226 e of Blue Island-av., n f, 24x100, Jan. 3 [Bennie Cohen et al to Samuel Rissman] 1

Monroe-st., s of Homan-av., n f, 25x180, Jan. 9 [Est. George R. Bocher to Emma M. Balhatchet] 5,200

North-st., s w cor Irving, n w, 25x125, incumb. $3,000, Jan. 11 [Emma Gross to Gezelle Bauman] 5,500

Rice-st., 216 e of Leavitt, s f, 24x123, Dec. 24, 1910 [Kazmiera Rajchell to Jos. R. Altman] 3,500

Point-st., 107 e of Henry-ct., w f, 37½x125, Jan. 4 [Ezra C. Eddy to Edward Vandenboarche to J. Volckaert] 10

Same ppty., Jan. 9 [J. Volckaert to Elodie Vandenboarche] 10

Springfield-av., 136 n of Augusta-st., w f, 25x124, Jan. 5 [Fredrik E. Fredrickson to Hilenda Sederholm] 400

12th-pl., 285 s of Central Park-av., n f, 37½x143, Jan. 3 [Thos. Smutny to David T. Alexander] 1,250

12th-st., 72 w of Laflin, s f, 24x124, Dec. 5, 1910 [Rubin Cozan to Jacob Agress] 5,000

13th-st., W. 1230 s f, 22½x124, incumb. $1,200, Jan. 7 [Nathan Davis to Benj. Levin] 2,000

13th-st., 72 w of Laflin, s f, 24x124, Dec. 5, 1910 [Jacob Agress to Celia Agress] 1

25th-st., W. s w cor S. 54th-ct., n f, 25x125, incumb. $3,750, July 17 [Carl A. Carlson to Thos. D. Ervin] 4,400

13th st., W., 1230 s f, 50x124, incumb. $1,200, Jan. 7 [Nathan Davis to Benj. Levin] 2,000

13th-pl., 175 n of Central Park-av., n f, 75x162, June 9, 1910 [Chas. J. Reilly to F. Wm Seldenschlicker] 2,825

Wilmot-ct., s e cor Grand and Leavitt-sts., s w f, 54½x64½, m. or l., sub. to incumb. of two trust deeds, Jan. 10 [Rudolph Tauber to Emma Cohn] 1

Wood-st., N., 1725, w f, 22x123½, incumb. $1,000, Jan. 10 [Catherine E. Brady to Martha Meimstreet] 1

Wood-st., 107 s of Iowa, e f, 2x125, Jan. 10 [Friedericke Zaert to Maude Jacob] 1

Monroe-st., s e cor Keeler and Albany-aves., s f, 125x125, Jan. 10 [Denis B. Daly to John L. Zinn] 4,800

Congress-st., 167 e of Campbell-av., s f, 26 2-3x120, Jan. 9 [Jno. F. Wendell to Jacob Goldberg] 4,500

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Congress-st., 167 e of Campbell-av., s f, 26 2-3x120, incumb. $1,700, Jan. 7 [Jacob Goldberg to Louis Axelrod] 4,000

Troy-st., 266 n of 12th, w f, 27x125, Jan. 10 [Christian Weimer to Selma Lange] 1

Aberdeen-st., 147 n of Lake, e f, 25x100, incumb. $1,000, Jan. 10 [Michael F. Schiavone to Domenico Valente] 8,500

Franklin-av., n e cor Adams-st., w f, 50x176, Nov. 15, 1910 [Sam'l M. Schwartz to Jno. B. Kelly] 1,650

De Koven-st., 225 e of Canal, s f, 22x110, and q. c. p. on west side, Jan. 7 [James A. Jennings quitclaims to John P. O'Neil and ½] 5,000

Washington-blvd., 100 e of Ada-st., s f, 37½x180, incumb. $6,000, Sept. 15, 1909 [Richard Barlow to Mura C. Boyd] 8,000

Madison-st., 100 w of Campbell-av., s f, 24x127, Jan. 11 [Louise Hacker to Samuel E. Silverman] 1

FREDERICK.

Chicago Heights lt. 2 and s ½ ft. lt. blk. 223, Jan. 7 [Frederick Wilkening to Anna M. Hotchkin] 2,200

Chicago Heights, lt. 20 blk. 147, Jan. 7 [Charles A. Hotchkin to James M. Wise] 1,000

Chicago Heights, lt. 38, blk. 79, Jan. 7 [Abraham L. Page to Albert Bhaersen] 1,600

BREMEN.

T. 36, n w ¼, s e ¼ 27, 36, 13, Dec. 3, 1910 [Katherine Stehl et al. to Frederick C. Stehl] 4,500

CALUMET.

Blue Island subdivision, lt. 17 and 18, blk. 3, n e ¼ 21, 37, 14, Jan. 3 [John Strain to Jozef Zielinski] 1,950

CICERO.

Morton Park Land assn. sub., lt. 37, blk 4, n w ¼ 28, 39, 13, Dec. 24, 1910 [Frantisek Dvorak to Vaclav Herman] 1,040

Wrenn Park, s w cor W. Borden's add., s ½ ft. 7 and all lt. 8, blk 7, incumb. $1,200, Jan. 7 [Emma R. Izard to J. Grafton Parker] 1

Warren Park, s w cor W. Borden's add., lt. 24 and n ½ lt. 23, blk. 5, incumb. $1,200, Jan. 5 [Emma R. Izard to James J. Parker] 1

Warren Park, s w cor W. Borden's add., lts. 19 and 20, blk. 2 and o. p., incumb. $900, Jan. 10 [Emma R. Izard to James J. Parker and James Grafton Parker ½ int. to each] 1

NEW TRIER.

Exchange, Guilmette Smith's sub. of s. pt. lt. 40, blk. 8, of blks. 8 to 8, of lt. 21, etc., Dec. 15, 1910 [Frank R. Grover of Evanston to Evanston Hospital Assn.] 260

Wilmette, Gage's add., w 50 ft. e 200 ft., n ½ blk. 21, Jan. 10 [C. T. & T. Co., tr., to National Surety company] 1,000

LEASE—Store and flat, southeast corner, Wilmette, Wilmette-av. No. 1158, room 22x60 ft. on the first floor of the one story brick bldg. on date Dec. 19, 1910; term, 10 yrs.; rent, $360 per annum; lease includes equipment, heat, etc. [J. Fred McGuire and Willard T. Orr to United States of America.]

NORTHFIELD.

T. 42, lts. 40 and 41 sub. s e ¼, n w ¼, s w ¼, n e ¼ 34, 42, 12, Dec. 10, 1910 [Charles D. Rugen to Seymour G. Nelson] 2,500

NORWOOD PARK.

Bartlett sub., s ½ lt. 66 and s. 24 ft. lt. 56, s ½ lt. 67, 40, 13, Dec. 29, 1910 [Frederick M. Bartlett to Anton Masurkiewics] 1,000

PROVISO.

Ranson's sub., lt. 8, blk. 7, resub. Ranson's s w ¼ 12, 39, 12, Jan. 3 [Edward C. Waller to Richard Bonin] 900

WORTH.

McCord's sub., lt. 1, s ½ 25, 37, 13, Dec. 27, 1910 [Catharine McCord et al. to Charles R. Foster] 800

Assessor's div., s 44 ft. e ½ lt. 5 of lt. 7, n w ¼ 26, 37, 13, Jan. 9 [Benjamin F. Cool to Louis Kreig] 6,500

T. 37, pt. n e ¼, n e ¼ 30, 37, 13, ctg. 23 ac., Dec. 1, 1910 [Edward P. Bishop to Sanitary District of Chicago] 1,000

T. 37, pt. n w ¼ 33, 37, 13, ctg. 32 ac., Dec. 22, 1910 [Patrick Powers to Sanitary district of Chicago] 3,267

Building Permits.

1216 Peterson-av., 3 story brick flats, flat Larson ..... $ 8,000

720 W. 54th-pl., 2 story brick flats, C. Korieskind 5,000

6029 N. Ashland-av., 3 story brick apartment, Joe Bengt 50,000

1521 to 1523 Sedgwick-st., 3 story brick factory, Joe Zimmerman 6,000

50 E. 103d-pl., 1½ story frame cottage, August Koeder 1,800

Sheridan-rd. and Lakeside-pl., 3 story brick apartment, Michael Kirchhoff 40,000

1064 W. 104th-pl., 1½ story frame dwelling, Helen W. Blount 3,000

5462 Haddon-av., 2 story frame dwelling, Wassell & Brambura 2,400

5546 Haddon-av., 2 story frame flats, Wassell & Brambura 3,400

5458 Haddon-av., 2 story frame flats, Wassell & Brambura 3,400

6020 Leaside-st., 1½ story brick dwelling, Andrew Hansen 4,000

5802 Bishop-st., 2 story brick tenement, Ernestine Ralge 4,000

4506 to 4508 Beacon-st., 2 story brick flats, William Pickel 8,000

DEMAND FOR BLEACHED GOODS IS NOW BECOMING STRONGER.

John V. Farwell Company in Review Also Says Reports from Foreign Linen Centers Indicate Another Advance.

The John V. Farwell company, in a weekly review of the wholesale dry goods trade, says:

Recent orders on some makes of staple prints are larger than the supply. The demand for bleached goods, sheetings, etc., for January sales is now growing stronger.

Cable reports from foreign linen centers indicating further advance in linen products, together with the conservative running policy of most of the American mills have suggested to the merchant the wisdom of early buying so that stocks of linens, lace curtains, and nets, bedding, carpets rugs, etc., will be on hand when the house cleaning season makes its demands.

For spring sheer printed and plain goods of all descriptions are selling heavily.

There is a strong demand for fine French serges, coatings, and percales. Sales of black goods are improving greatly.

Early orders placed by merchants in the cotton districts indicate confidence in the maintenance of present prices of cotton and cotton goods.

SUES RISK FIRMS FOR $16,000.

Miss Agnes Denihan Says Two Concerns Refuse to Pay on Her Father's Policies.

Miss Agnes Denihan, 2908 Washington boulevard, filed suit in the Superior court yesterday against the Western Life Indemnity company and the Pioneer Life Insurance company to recover payments of policies due on the death of her father, Edmund Denihan, one of the organizers of the American Life Insurance company. The complainant asks $11,000 from the Western Life and $5,000 from the Pioneer. Attorney John P. McGoorty said the companies refused to pay the policies.

OFFICIAL WEATHER FORECAST.

OFFICE OF CHIEF OF WEATHER BUREAU, Washington, D. C., Jan. 12.—Forecast:

Illinois—Rain or snow Friday followed by clearing, colder with a cold wave in the afternoon or night in north portion and at night in south portion. Saturday fair, colder.

Upper Michigan—Snow and colder Friday, cold wave by night, Saturday local snows.

Lower Michigan—Snow and colder Friday, cold wave at night, Saturday local snows, colder in east portion, variable winds becoming northwest and brisk.

Ohio—Rain or snow Friday, colder in west portion, Saturday much colder and fair except snow near Lake Erie, variable winds becoming northwest and brisk Friday.

Indiana—Snow in north, rain or snow in south portion Friday, colder with a cold wave at night, Saturday fair, colder.

Wisconsin—Fair in west, local snows in east portion Friday, colder with a cold wave. Saturday fair and cold, moderate to brisk northwest winds.

North Dakota and South Dakota—Fair, continued cold Friday and Saturday.

Nebraska—Fair Friday, except snow in southwest portion, colder with a cold wave. Saturday fair, continued cold.

Kansas—Local snows, much colder Friday, cold wave by night, Saturday generally fair and cold.

Missouri—Snow in north and west, rain in southeast portion Friday, colder with a cold wave in northwest portion, and at night in east and south portions. Saturday fair, colder in east portion.

Iowa—Much colder and generally fair Friday, cold wave. Saturday fair and colder.

Minnesota—Fair, continued cold in west, fair, colder in east portion Friday, with a cold wave. Saturday fair, continued cold.

Place of observation. Time taken: Jan. 12, 7 p.m.	Temp. 7 p. m.	Max. temp.	Precipitation 24 hours.	Direction of wind.	Velocity of wind.	State of weather.
Eastern states—						
Albany	20	34	.01	N.	8	Clear
Atlanta	54	64	.12	N.E.	8	Clear
Buffalo	26	30	.04	N.E.	8	Clear
Charleston	58	72		S.W.	10	Clear
New York	38	42		N.	10	Clear
Parkersburg	48	58	.22	N.	4	Rain
Pittsburg	46	50	.17	E.	4	Cloudy
Raleigh	44	64		E.	4	Clear
Washington	48	56		N.E.	12	Cloudy
Gulf states—						
Galveston	70	76		S.	8	Fair
Amarillo	60	70		S.	6	Cloudy
El Paso	62	66	.04	N.	6	Cloudy
Fort Worth	62	70	.02	S.E.	14	Cloudy
Jacksonville	60	74		E.	6	Clear
Montgomery	64	66		S.	4	Cloudy
New Orleans	64	78		S.	6	Clear
San Antonio	74	78		S.E.	6	Clear
Shreveport	72	76		S.	4	Fair
Tampa	68	74		N.E.	4	Clear
Vicksburg	68	74		S.W.	6	Clear
Inland central states—						
Abeona	24			S.W.	8	Cloudy
Cairo	58	58		S.	8	Cloudy
Chicago	36	38	.01	S.E.	9	Rain
Cincinnati	50	58	.81	E.	8	Rain
Cleveland	40	46	.08	S.E.	14	Cloudy
Detroit	30	32	.12	E.	12	Cloudy
Escanaba	28	28		S.	8	Cloudy
Grand Haven	32	32		S.	8	Cloudy
Grand Rapids	34	34		S.E.	6	Fair
Green Bay	24	24	.01	W.	4	Snow
Indianapolis	44	46	.14	S.E.	8	Rain
Madison	28	70		N.E.	4	Foggy
Marquette	26	26		S.E.	6	Cloudy
Memphis	66	74		S.	6	Clear
Milwaukee	34	34		S.E.	6	Rain
Nashville	64	66		S.	8	Cloudy
Ste. Marie	10	10		S.E.	10	Cloudy
Springfield, Ill	32	34	.02	W.	6	Cloudy
West Central states—						
Bismarck	20		.12	N.W.	10	Fair
Charles City	24	24		W.	6	Cloudy
Concordia	30	30		N.E.	4	Cloudy
Davenport	32	32		Calm	4	Foggy
Des Moines	22	24		W.	4	Cloudy
Devils Lake	14	18		W.	12	Cloudy
Dodge	40	42	.01	S.E.	12	Cloudy
Dubuque	30	36		N.W.	4	Rain
Duluth	8	16	.05	N.W.	20	Clear
Huron	10	16		N.W.	20	Clear
Kansas City	28	30		S.W.	4	Cloudy
Keokuk	36	38		W.	4	Cloudy
Little Rock	68	72		W.	4	Cloudy
Moorhead	18	2		N.W.	14	Clear
North Platte	14	40		N.E.	18	Cloudy
Oklahoma	62	72		S.W.	12	Cloudy
Omaha	36	36		W.	4	Cloudy
Rapid City	10	18		N.	8	Clear
Sioux City	28	28		N.W.	22	Clear
St. Louis	38	38		W.	8	Cloudy
St. Paul	14	20	.02	N.W.	18	Cloudy
Springfield, Mo.	40	48	.02	N.	4	Rain
Wichita	54	74		W.	6	Cloudy
Williston	20	24		W.	6	Cloudy
Mountain and plateau states—						
Boise	30	32	.12	N.E.	4	Snow
Cheyenne	40	48		N.W.	4	Cloudy
Denver	42	52		N.W.	4	Cloudy
Havre	26	32	.12	N.W.	4	Cloudy
Helena	18	18	.14	N.W.	4	Cloudy
Lander	44	44	.02	S.W.	12	Fair
Phoenix	62	66	.12	W.	4	Cloudy
Pueblo	58	62		S.	4	Cloudy
Salt Lake City	44	46		S.	4	Cloudy
Yellowstone Park	4	24	.38	E.	48	Snow
Pacific states—						
Fresno	56	60		S.E.	12	Cloudy
Los Angeles	54	62		S.W.	12	Clear
Portland, Ore.	34	38	.06	N.W.	10	Snow
Sacramento	50	54	.02	S.W.	6	Rain
San Francisco	54	54	1.16	S.W.	30	Cloudy
San Diego	58	66		N.W.	10	Clear
Seattle	44	46		S.W.	6	Fair
Tacoma	34	38	.44	S.W.	6	Fair
Walla Walla	22	32		S.	4	Clear
Canadian stations—						
Batteford	28	34		W.	4	Clear
Calgary	36	34		S.E.	4	Clear
Edmonton	34	34		S.E.	4	Clear
Minnedosa	42	52	.01	Calm	4	Clear
Montreal	2	6		N.E.	12	Clear
Qu'Appelle	36	38		S.	4	Clear
White River	16	16		S.W.	18

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

Miscellaneous.

SITUATION WANTED — AN OFFICE MANAGER, AUDITOR AND PRACTICAL SYSTEMATIZER, WITH UNUSUAL EXPERIENCE IN ALL DEPARTMENTS OF BUSINESS EXCEPT SELLING, DESIRES TO LOCATE WITH A CONCERN WHERE THE FUTURE WILL BE LIMITED ONLY BY HIS ABILITY. UNUSUALLY SUCCESSFUL IN HANDLING MEN; STRONG PERSONALITY; GOOD BUYER; ORIGINAL WELL EDUCATED; A THOROUGH ACCOUNTANT, AND ONE WHO CAN ANALYZE CONDITIONS AND BUILD UP AN EFFICIENT ORGANIZATION.
THOROUGHLY FAMILIAR WITH FINANCIAL, GENERAL AND SALES STATISTICS, AND BEING MECHANICALLY INCLINED HAVE MADE A SPECIALTY OF FACTORY COSTS, ACCOUNTING STATISTICS, PRODUCTION RECORDS AND ORDER SYSTEMS.
NOW EMPLOYED, BUT WANT A BIGGER PROPOSITION THAN PRESENT EMPLOYERS CAN OFFER.
ADDRESS L 340, TRIBUNE.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG MAN, 26, UNIversity graduate; full of energy, initiative, and concentration; can produce results; several years' successful experience in advertising and sales mgr.; acquainted with adv. agency work, and was adv. mgr. city newspaper; best personal and business references. Address N 346 Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — WHERE EXPERT KNOWLEDGE OF PRINTING ENGRAVING, AND ART WORK WILL BE OF VALUE; CAN PLAN BOOKLET, CATALOGUE AND ADVERTISING MATTER, HANDLE SALESMEN, SALES CORRESPONDENCE, AND BUYING. ADDRESS H 145, TRIBUNE.

SITUATION WANTED — PRIVATE SECRETARY DESIRES SIMILAR POSITION; LOCATION IMMATERIAL; MARRIED; REFERENCES FIRST CLASS; SALARY ARRANGED. ADDRESS M., 1914 ORRINGTON-AV., EVANSTON, ILL.

SITUATION WANTED — AS TRAFFIC MANager, fully equipped to handle all traffic matters, conversant with interstate commerce laws and rules of commission; most exacting references furnished; employed at present. Address J 502, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—SUCCESSFUL EXperienced solicitor, designer, and superintendent of interior remodeling and decorative work, thoroughly posted in all branches, desires to permanently locate with high class establishment. Address L 508, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—I CAN WRITE THE kind of advertising, circular letters, followups, and pamphlets that bring business; am not an advocate of cheap. Let me show you. Address L 516 Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—AS COLLECTOR; CAN furnish references. Address L 503, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—EVENINGS, BY WELL educated young man. 26. Address L 571, Tribune.

Help Wanted with Investments.

SITUATION WANTED—WILL INVEST $500 with services; must be strictest investigation; some estab. business. Address J 337, Tribune.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

Bookkeepers and Clerks.

SITUATION WANTED—FIRST CLASS BOOKkeeper, competent to take full charge capable of handling large amount of work; 7 years' experience; best of references. Address J 509, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—COMPETENT, RELIAble bkkpr. of long experience; trial balance; close books, etc.; highest refs. Address J 518, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—EXPERT CASHIER, 4 yrs. exp., capable handling large amounts of cash daily; best of refs. Address L 55, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—EXP. BKKPR. AND TYP.; all references. Address F 106, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG LADY BOOKkeeper; 2½ yrs.' exp. Address L 278, Tribune.

Billing Clerks.

SITUATION WANTED—BILL CLERK, UNDERwood machine; five years' experience in large wholesale house. Address J 536, Tribune.

Domestics and Cooks.

SITUATION WANTED — FIRST CLASS COOK (German); understands any kind of high class cooking and baking; want position in private family or restaurant; first class references. Address L 276, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — MIDDLE AGED WOMAN as cook; first class family; best refs. MRS. WOOD, 5015 Park 3654. 5747 Drexel-av. Will go out of the city

SITUATION WANTED — MAID, CITY OR suburbs; steady and competent. Phone Aldine 1345, 1337 Ogden-av.

SITUATION WANTED—FIRST CLASS COLOR'D cook, business lunch, cafe, club; ref. Tel. Austin 15512, or address L 404, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—COLORED GIRL AS chambermaid, waitress; references. Flat A, E 33d-st.

SITUATION WANTED—BY SCOTCH GIRL, American family. 4252 Champlain-av. Phone Drexel 8502.

SITUATION WANTED—TWO EXP. LADIES wish position together in high class boarding house. Phone Drexel 8502.

SITUATION WANTED — COLORED GIRL; kitchen work or restaurant. SARAH HURT, 3112 Armour-av.

SITUATION WANTED—COLORED MAID; NO laundry; home nights. THOMPSON, 2500 Wabash-av.

SITUATION WANTED—HOUSEWORK AMERIcan family; adults; good cook; $6. 1219 Jackson-blvd.

SITUATION WANTED—AS FIRST CLASS COOK in private family by middle aged woman; best references. Phone Drover 373.

SITUATION WANTED—EXPERIENCED AMERican girl, second maid in family of adults; no sewing; reference. Address N 490, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — VIENNA COOK, PRIvate family. MRS. MMIL, 462 N. Halsted.

SITUATION WANTED—FIRST CLASS COOK IN small family. Address L 579, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—GOOD COLORED COOK —JUNIA ELLIOTT. Phone Douglas 775.

SITUATION WANTED—AS COOK; $8 or $10 week; colored. 5029 Lake-av. L. T.

SITUATION WANTED—HOUSEWORK, GOOD cook; adults. 4062 Ellis-av. Aldine 1090.

SITUATION WANTED—HOUSEWORK, BY RElable colored girl; 2 in family. 3944 Drexel-blvd.

Housekeepers and Caretakers.

SITUATION WANTED—REFINED LADY, GOOD housekeeper; small family; widower, bachelor or people employed; good home; refs. Address H 505, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—AS HOUSEKEEPER IN small family by refined, neat, capable woman; best references. Address J 466, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—COMPETENT ENGLISH housekeeper, hotel, bachelor's apt.; ref. ex. Tel. Kedzie 6486.

SITUATION WANTED—COMPETENT HOUSEkeeper; people employed; have ref. Address N 478, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—CAPABLE MIDDLE aged woman with best references, as housekeeper in bachelor's home or office. Address N 505, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—HOUSEKEEPER, WIDower or people employed. Drexel 7295.

SITUATION WANTED — BY LADY OF REFINEment as housekeeper. Address L 274, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—REFINED AMERICAN housekeeper; ref. Address N 436, Tribune.

Dressmakers and Seamstresses.

SITUATION WANTED — STRICTLY HIGH class maker of street costumes, dinner, evening gowns; also ladies' suits for all occasions; exclusive styles; prices most reasonable. MAURICE, 5234 Washington-blvd.

SITUATION WANTED—AT DRESSMAKER trade; wide experience in all lines desire position with high grade ladies' tailoring establishment. ANDERSON, 4601 Indiana-av. 2d

SITUATION WANTED — APPRENTICE WITH first class dressmaker. 5615 Wabash-av. Tel. Normal 4810.

SITUATION WANTED — AN EXPERIENCED dressmaker desires patrons; prompt and reasonable. 2208 Prairie-av. Phone Cal. 5298.

SITUATION WANTED—DRESSMAKING, FIRST class. MISS SMITH, La Strain Hotel, 3335 Lake-av.

SITUATION WANTED—DRESSMAKER, EXPErienced, reliable, wishes engagement in families. Call North 2090.

SITUATION WANTED—AS SEAMSTRESS AND lady's maid; good references. Address N H 254, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—EXPERIENCED CUTter and designer; all styles and altering. $5 day, or home. 2621 Monroe. Seeley 1691.

SITUATION WANTED — DRESSMAKING; PERfect fit; remodeling; $1.50 day; exp. Address N 561, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—DRESSMAKING, TAtoring; fit guaranteed; South Side; $2 day. Phone Keedzie 3857.

SITUATION WANTED—DRESSMAKER, FASHionable lady; city ref. Address L 473 Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—FAMILY SEWING; very reas.; North Side. Address N 310, Tribune.

Nurses and Governesses.

SITUATION WANTED—GRADUATE NURSE DESIRES POSITION IN OFFICE WITH PHYSICIANS; UNDERSTANDS TYPEWRITING; REASONABLE SALARY; BEST REFERENCES. ADDRESS H E 24, TRIBUNE.

SITUATION WANTED—PRACTICAL NURSE TO care for old lady invalid or delicate child; gives massage and oil rubs; $15 per week; references. Phone Calumet 2187. Address O T 600, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—THOROUGHLY QUALified English governess desires position; French, music languages acquired abroad; capable of taking entire charge; refs. Address H 442, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG LADY GRADuate; nurse; desires position; CONFINEment; care house, children, and sew. Address L 76, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — BY RELIABLE Scotch girl as nurse maid; North Side preferred. Address J L 117, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—COLORED GIRL WITH walking child; good home; small salary; refs. 121 E. 38th-st.

SITUATION WANTED—TRAINED NURSE, 15 years, wants confinement cases or care of invalid or infant; $15. Address N 506, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—NURSE; EXPERIenced; mental cases only. Mrs. Smith, 65 Schiller.

SITUATION WANTED — GRADUATE NURSE; mother's helper; refs. Address J 93, Tribune.

Laundresses and Day Work.

SITUATION WANTED—FIRST CLASS LAUNdress; Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday; refs. Phone Aldine 3971.

SITUATION WANTED—WASHING, IRONING, cleaning; refs. 3158 Wabash-av. Phone Douglas 6764.

SITUATION WANTED—FIRST CLASS LAUNdress; washing and ironing. Telephone Hyde Park 3112.

SITUATION WANTED — FIRST CLASS COLored laundress by day or home cleaning. Douglas 2065.

SITUATION WANTED—COLORED; DAY WORK laundry cleaning. Phone Drexel 7066.

SITUATION WANTED — LAUNDRESS AND cleaning, by colored lady. Aldine 2067.

SITUATION WANTED—BY SWEDISH WOMAN, day's work. Address 5917 Throop-st.

SITUATION WANTED—LAUNDRESS AND cleaning; references. Phone Douglas 4407.

SITUATION WANTED—WOMAN, CLEAN OFfices or apartments. Address L 146, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY NEAT COLORED easy seller; good references. Douglas 8780.

SITUATION WANTED — WASHING TAKEN home. 1227 Wells. Phone 4696 North.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

Laundresses and Day Work.

SITUATION WANTED—A1 GERMAN LAUNdress wants work by the day. MRS. A. BUCHAS, 965 N. Clark-st.

Stenographers and Typists.

SITUATION WANTED—AS CONFIDENTIAL secretary by young woman at present employed; rapid and accurate stenographer; able to handle correspondence without dictation and assume responsibilities; 12 years' experience with two firms. Address H 334, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—HIGH SCHOOL GRADuate, with six years' exp. in steno. work, desires permanent position; small initial salary no objection, providing advancement follows proof of ability. Address L 235, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—STENOGRAPHER OR private secretary; at present employed; rapid and accurate; capable taking entire charge; ten years' experience; references; salary $20. Address N 499, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—STENOGRAPHER AND assistant bookkeeper, where general office and detailed work is required; 12 years' experience; high class commercial houses only need reply; salary $15 to start. Address L 127, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG LADY STEnographer of bookkeeping; 1 year's exp.; start $7. PEARL E. OTTO, 2800 Archer-av. Yards 5688.

SITUATION WANTED—STENOGRAPHER; 3 yrs. last employer, desires position with opportunity to develop into private secretary; $18. Address L 176, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — AS PRIVATE SECRETary; 4 yrs. refined, well educated, 1st class stenographer, office assistant. Address H 451, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—EXPERIENCED STENographer wishes to change position, preferring legal or banking; references. Address L 227, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG LADY STENOgrapher, 6 years' experience, commercial, banking, railroad; rapid, accurate, reliable; $18. Address K 267, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY REFINED AND EXperienced young lady stenographer. Best of references. Address N 408, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG LADY, TYPEwriting; accurate, neat; 3 years' exp. in BALL 250 W. 22d-st.

SITUATION WANTED—BY THOR. COMP. young lady steno.; experienced; A1 refs.; salary $12 per week. Address N 307, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—COMPETENT YOUNG woman stenographer; $8; refs. Address L 396 Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—COMPETENT STENOGrapher and office assist.; 6 years' real estate. Address H 357, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—AS A BEGINNING STEnographer thoroughly competent; salary to start $8; best references. Address P H 371, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—EXP. STENO. SLIGHT knowledge bookkeeping; high school education; small office preferred. Address J 210, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—STENOGRAPHER and asst. bookkeeper; N. S.; 7 years' exp; $18. Address F 490, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — STENOGRAPHER; 2 years' exp.; assist on books; $15. Address H 96, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—COMPETENT STENOgrapher; 3 years' experience; best ref. Address L 218, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—COMPETENT STENOG. and bookkeeper; 8 years' lumber exp. Address H 356, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—COMPETENT STENOGrapher; fire insurance preferred. Address J 180, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—COMPETENT STENO.; 2 yrs.' exp.; $16. Address K 260, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—AS STENOGRAPHER; lady; exp.; $10. Address L 412, Tribune.

Miscellaneous.

SITUATION WANTED—A LADY PHYSICIAN who is going west with one incipient case of tuberculosis would like to go with her or two other cases. The latest scientific treatment will be given, with all the comforts of home. No advanced or far advanced cases considered. Only incipient or moderately advanced cases need apply. For full particulars address J O 16, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—SECRETARY, YOUNG woman; competent stenographer; well educated; literary work; social or business correspondent; would consider out of town position. Address N 480, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY LADY WITH ALL around business training, who has specialised in advertising and followups; can take charge of correspondence and similarly responsible duties; stenor. and bookpr. Address L 314, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—PARLOR HAIRDRESSing, manicuring, massage, chiropody and hair work; fully competent to teach; colored. Phone Aldine 536. MRS. ALLEN.

SITUATION WANTED—EDUCATED EUROpean lady masseuse wishes few more lady patron; scientific magnetic touch. Address H 279, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY COLORED GIRL AS maid, to do dress'g of children or ladies' dressing room; refs. Phone Aldine 356.

SITUATION WANTED — EXPERIENCED lady wants to color post cards or photogravures. Address L 492, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—GOOD CHINA DECORator; commercial and studio. Address L 133, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—AS LADY'S COMPANion; highest ref. Address N 488, Tribune.

WANTED—MALE HELP.

Bookkeepers and Clerks.

A1 BOOKKEEPER AND TYPIST—IMMEDIATELY; corporate accounts; references bond. Room 501, 308 Dearborn-st.

ASSISTANT BOOKKEEPER AND LEDGER Post positions for first class young men who are capable and willing to work. Address P E 311, Tribune.

BOOKKEEPER—EXPERIENCED FOR WHOLEsale and retail business. 222 Clark-st.

CORRESPONDENT AND MAIL ORDER MAN— Experienced, capable to take charge of office for one of the largest agents' supply houses in the country, located in St. Louis; must be able to write forcible, business getting circular letters which will bring orders and get the money; a permanent position with an excellent starting salary; a future with limitless possibilities for progressive people; all replies will be treated strictly confidential. Address P O 205, Tribune.

CORRESPONDENT AND OFFICE MAN—GOOD, up to date education and ability, state experience in detail and salary to start. Address N 500, Tribune.

CREDIT MAN—FOR DEPT. STORE, TAKE charge monthly accounts and furniture credits. KLEIN BROS., Halsted and 20th-st.

DRY GOODS CLERKS—FOR FILLING ORDERS; active young men, experienced in measuring and cutting piece goods. Call 8 to 10 a. m.
SEARS, ROEBUCK & CO.

DRUG CLERK—REGISTERED ASSISTANT; AT once. 3205 Ogden-av.

ENERGETIC YOUNG MAN OF GOOD HABITS not afraid of work for clerical position; stock exp. essential; state age and pay expected. Address J 508, Tribune.

EXPERIENCED MAN TO TAKE CHARGE OF stock room for a large mail order house dealing in dry goods, laces and ladies' fancy goods; position will be permanent and pays a good salary. For information apply at once to A. S. Mircamille Co., 726 W. Monroe-st.

GROCERY CLERK—FIRST CLASS. H. A. KNEPPER, 211 E. 43d-st. 4360

MIDDLE AGED MAN—WIDE AWAKE AND ACtive, as collector and office assistant; must have some experience bookkeeping; state age, references, and telephone, if any; salary $12. Address P F 240, Tribune.

RELIABLE MAN TO KEEP BOOKS IN STOCK room; give refs. and salary expected. Address P E 127, Tribune.

SHIPPING CLERK—EXPERIENCED; ONE who is not afraid of hard work; good wages. Apply International Tag Co., 661 W. Lake-st., near Union.

WANTED—BOOKKEEPER.

Young man, good penman, accurate and quick; State-st. experience preferred; excellent opportunity. Apply to Credit Manager, 3d floor, center.
ROTHSCHILD & COMPANY,
State and Van Buren-sts. and Wabash-av.

YOUNG MAN — WITH EXPERIENCE IN checking invoices and making record of same; must be good writer and quick at figures; state salary first and salary expected. Address P E 413, Tribune.

YOUNG MAN—ABOUT 20, FOR FEW MONTHS' clerical work in office preparatory to permanent position traveling salesman with growing mfg. concern; must be clean cut appearance, and of good address. Address O W 462, Tribune.

YOUNG MAN—ACCURATE, GOOD PENMAN, for out of town office; good chance for advancement; give reference and experience in full; salary to start $65 per month. Address P H 472 Tribune.

YOUNG MAN—AS OFFICE ASSISTANT; ONE with some knowledge of mechanics preferred; wages $10. Address P H 524, Tribune.

YOUNG MAN—ABOUT 16, FOR GENERAL OFfice work; West Sider preferred. Address O W 469, Tribune.

Billing Clerks.

BILL CLERK—YOUNG MAN, IN WHOLESALE house; good, rapid penman; city refs.; state salary; splendid opportunity. Address P E 126, Tribune.

WHOLESALE DRUG BILL CLERK AND EXtender—State exp. Address L 220, Tribune.

Accountants and Auditors.

ACCOUNTANTS—SEVERAL SENIOR ASSISTants, by a firm of certified public accountants; must have had some previous experience and be able to furnish thoroughly satisfactory references from previous employers; permanent positions at good salary and with distinct prospects of advancement for 2 or 3 assistants, if qualified. Address L 104, Tribune.

SENIOR ACCOUNTANTS — SEVERAL; STATE experience with public accountants; also refs. and salary required. Address N 443, Tribune.

SENIOR ACCOUNTANTS—TWO, TO TAKE charge; give phone number so can reach Friday night. Address P E 352, Tribune.

Salesmen, Solicitors, Etc.

WANTED—FEW MORE SELECT MEN TO SEE the trade with our lace samples; ref. in first letter; salary and com. Address K 048, Tribune.

WANTED—SALESMEN; CAN MAKE $15 TO $50 weekly selling Western Real Estate. A. G. LEESON, 617 Crary Bldg., Seattle, Wash.

SALESMAN WANTED—MAN WHO HAS HAD experience in selling stock, food or staple supplies. Address L 480, Tribune.

A LIVE SOLICITOR FOR A LIVE PROPOSITION Steady money. Apply The Mag. Circulation Co. 209 Dearborn-st., Chicago.

DESIRABLE SIDE LINE GOODS POPULAR; will more than pay road expense; pocket samples. H. L. SCOTT & CO., 1109 Randolph-st.

WANTED—SALESMEN TO CARRY STRONG line of metal novelties for furniture and premium trade. Golden Novelty Mfg. Co., 126 N. Union-st.

2 CITY SALESMEN—MUST BE NEAT DRESS ers and fluent talkers; on Leslie's Weekly. 1009 Dearborn-st.

Boys.

BOY—FOR GENERAL OFFICE WORK; GOOD opportunity; $25 to start. Address P E 165, Tribune.

WANTED—MALE HELP.

Salesmen, Solicitors, Etc.

SALESMEN WANTED.

We can place five to ten active salesmen in exclusive territory; east, west, and south. We have staple lines, premium lines, and special advertising propositions to sell. We also want three sales managers to take charge of offices in Philadelphia, Kansas City, and San Francisco. Will pay according to ability and experience from $1200 to $2500 per month; reference given and required. Applicants out of town requested to give their record by mail. Call or address
JOHN C. STATE,
147 5TH-AV., ROOM 91.

TRAVELING SALESMEN.

We sell direct to retail stores. Our business last year was the largest we have had in our 26 years' experience. We can use a few men in Central territory this year. If you can show determination, optimism, and a clean record, we want you. Yearly contracts and exclusive territory. Call on us for particulars.

N. H. OLIVER, 200 Monroe-st., Tenth Floor.

An Exceptional Opportunity For a High Grade Salesman.

IF YOU ARE A SALESMAN, RATING YOUR RANKING ABILITY AT NOT LESS THAN $100 PER WEEK, I HAVE A NEAT, CLEAN AND ENTIRELY NEW PROPOSITION THAT WILL APPEAL TO YOU. SOMETHING THE BUSINESS MEN AND AMBITIOUS YOUNG MEN ARE WAITING FOR. INTRODUCTIONS FURNISHED.
MR. CHRISLER,
1010, 315 DEARBORN-ST.

ENERGETIC YOUNG MEN.

We want some cleancut, well dressed, energetic young men over 20 years of age, who are or wish to become good specialty salesmen, to call on professional and business men with a proposition of exceptional merit. Our salesmen are making $40 to $100 per week. Experience not necessary if you have ability, as we train our men. No drinking men, has beens, or peddlers need call; we can't use them. Apply between 10 and 3 o'clock.
F. J. BROWN, 700 Old Colony Bldg.

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BY MARY ISABEL BRUSH.

From a salary of $200 a month for a whole year to a suit of clothes for Easter!

This is the range of THE TRIBUNE'S great contest and between these extremes lie many prizes, all of which are well worth working for.

Are you in on this contest? If not, you are overlooking one of the best opportunities that ever came your way. You are declining an opportunity to make a bit of your spare time worth real cash to you, to increase your income appreciably, and to do the many things that you always have wanted to do, but were hampered in doing because of lack of finances.

There probably is not a reader of THE TRIBUNE who does not know of the $21,000 contest.

Will You Stand Idly By?

It rests with you whether you will be interested actively and whether you will have one of the prizes that THE TRIBUNE offers, or stand idly by and watch others win the things you might have if you tried for them. Come! Wake up and get into the game! You have everything to win and nothing to lose! Can you let such a chance slip by?

Remember that the contest is only a month old and that over two and a half months yet remain before the final checking up of votes. The contest began on Dec. 12 and will end at midnight on March 31. That is the time in which you have to work. A month has passed. If it has meant votes to you, well and good. If you have not yet entered the race, do so today. Send in your name on a nomination blank to the Contest Editor and then start out on a rousing campaign.

Invite Friends to Your Home.

Get busy with your campaign! Political contests are won by organization, by team work, and by platforms. Make your platform a personal plea with your friends. Organize them and get them to hustle for you.

It wouldn't be a bad idea to invite them all to your residence once a week and talk over your hopes and plans over the teacups.

Remember that every subscription you get will put 1,500 votes to your credit. You simply are to persuade your friends and acquaintances that THE TRIBUNE is the most readable, most accurate, the cleanest and most enjoyable and instructive newspaper they can read. You need not collect a penny.

Make yourself conversant with the rules of the contest. You will find several features in them that you may have overlooked—such as the premium clause which allows a subscriber for 18 months to pick out one of the gifts that THE TRIBUNE offers.

JUDGE DEVER DECLARES THE FOREST PRESERVE ACT VALID

Case Will Be Taken Directly to Illinois Supreme Court in Hope of Quick Final Decision.

Judge Dever yesterday upheld the constitutionality of the forest preserve act, which was approved by the electors at the November election. By agreement the case will be taken directly to the Supreme court of Illinois for decision, it is hoped, at the next term of court.

Shortly after the act was approved at the polls and the commission had been appointed by William Busse, then president of the county board, State's Attorney Wayman brought quo warranto proceedings for Adam Koch, a taxpayer, alleging the law to be unconstitutional.

Pending the final decision of the case by the Supreme court the forest preserve commissioners—Lewis Rinaker, Nelson Cool, Charles H. Wacker, Gustave J. Tatge, and Samuel Insull—can do nothing towards carrying out the provisions of the act to procure the available forest lands in Cook county, to keep them intact as natural parks, and to build roadways connecting them.

FIRE FUND BENEFIT TODAY

Auditorium Show Expected to Raise $50,000 for Relief.

GIVE TWO PERFORMANCES.

200 Taxis Will Carry Players to and from the Theater.

The biggest boost for the $250,000 endowment fund for the widows and orphans of the firemen who lost their lives in the stockyards fire is in sight. Today and tonight the two performances of the big theatrical benefit for the fire sufferers is to be given.

The promoters said last night that everything was ready for the curtain bell and that they believed they would realize their hopes of $50,000 from the benefit. The matinée performance will be started in the Auditorium at 1 o'clock sharp. The program, it is estimated, will not be finished before 5:30. The evening performance starts at 8 o'clock sharp.

To Use 200 Taxicabs.

Managers of the various theaters made arrangements for more than 200 taxicabs for the use of the performers to carry them to the Auditorium from the other playhouses and back again. The promoters say that no benefit ever given in Chicago will approach this one either in point of number of entertainers or variety of the program. Stars from the leading theaters will be mixed with grand opera artists. In addition the entire membership of the Thomas orchestra will be there.

Sarah Bernhardt expressed her sympathy for the widows and orphans of the fire heroes. She sent a telegram asking the management of the benefit to purchase a box for each performance and accept $100 in addition to the purchase price as a token of her sympathy.

The collections of the citizens' committee for the relief fund were good during the day and at night the total collected amounted to $147,034.56. Several law firms sent in $250 contributions and a number of lumber companies were substantial contributors with gifts ranging from $25 to $200.

Church Collects $377 for Fund.

The Rev. F. W. Gunsaulus sent a check for $377.75 representing the collection taken at the special service of Central church, held Jan. 1. Included in the amount was the $100 personal subscription of one person who desired to remain unknown. Many small gifts from $2.50 to $10 were received. One $2.50 subscription was sent anonymously.

FRISCO FIREMEN SEND $1,000.

Mayor McCarthy Brings Contribution to Fund for Relief of Families of Stockyards Blaze Victims.

Carrying a check for $1,000 from the firemen of San Francisco to the widows of the firemen who lost their lives in the stockyards disaster, Mayor P. H. McCarthy of that city arrived in Chicago yesterday on his way to Washington, D. C., to plead the cause of San Francisco as the place for the Panama exposition in 1915. He was accompanied by I. Goldman, foreman of the San Francisco grand jury; I. Hanak, and M. F. Tarpey.

"We are just going to ask congress to give San Francisco leave to invite all the nations of the earth to participate in a celebration over the completion of the Panama canal," said Mayor McCarthy. "We have withdrawn the Conn bill asking for an appropriation. We don't need any money. We have raised $17,500,000 in our state and we figure that is a pretty good starter. I guess we'll beat New Orleans to the exposition all right."

Mr. McCarthy and his three companions departed for the east in the afternoon on the Twentieth Century Limited.

HONORS MEMORY OF FRANKLIN.

Old Time Printers' Association to Celebrate 205th Anniversary of Birth of Its Patron Saint.

Mrs. Ella F. Young, superintendent of public schools, will speak on Benjamin Franklin as a teacher and promoter of free schools next Tuesday evening at the twenty-sixth annual banquet and ball of the Old Time Printers' association at the Hotel Sherman.

Among the 250 embracing the membership of the association are a number who have passed the half century mark in the atmosphere of printing, twenty-five years in Chicago being a requisite for affiliation with the society. Michael Kearns is president.

The committee in charge of the affair, which will commemorate the 205th anniversary of Franklin's birth, is composed of Michael Kearns, Fred Barnard, William Mill, Charles H. Philbrick, P. J. Cahill, William C. Hollister, Frederick K. Tracy, and John Canty.

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The January Sale of

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ANTIS' CASE IS STREN

BY JOHN CALLAN O'LAU

Washington, D. C., Jan. 13.—There is to be no demand by th William Lorimer for a prompt vo question of his right to a seat in States senate.

Delay, delay, and again del watchword at the present mo haste which marked their proce ing the two weeks of the session Christmas holidays has given w eration and to the suggestion t a serious matter as the exclusion ample time should be given for c sideration of all the facts. As a fact, they want the delay to get r underground work in which th gaged.

Fail to Realize Consequ

They fail to realize this impor quence of their program: That t the senators to read the testimon the investigating committee, and that is necessary, besides an op insure the conviction that Mr. L cured his seat through bribery tion.

In order that senators might no an opportunity, the "rescue cor on committee on privileges and garded with complacency the fa public printer to deliver copies mony to the senate for distributi day preceding the reassembling It was fully realized that with t and one things which senators they would not be able to read th in case action for the "vindicat Lorimer was rushed.

But sentiment which developed ate when the members obtained a facts, as shown by the minority re ator Beveridge of Indiana and t of Senators Owen of Oklahoma an of South Dakota, has caused a ge of the record of the evidence.

Court Will Be Inform

When Senator Burrows, chair committee, who signed the majo makes his speech in defense of tee's action on Monday he will t formed court. There consequen an essentially different situation which had been hoped.

It will be an alert senate whi listen to the efforts of the maj committee to prove they were r conclusion that Charles A. Wh praved scoundrel whose word is n lieved, that Michael S. Link an Beckemeyer were forced by "fl free" to confess, and that D. W. story is "highly improbable."

They also will have to make claim that "there are no facts stances from which it could be gally inferred that any other members of the said general ass bribed to vote for Mr. Lorimer."

Four Confessions in W

The majority of the committee say that the four confessions are in their report they stated mere cumstances, brought out in evid to make the testimony of White, L meyer, and Holstlaw of doub Moreover, they said that "even be conceded" the four men nam money in consideration for the Mr. Lorimer, he still had a maj votes cast in the general asse election was valid.

But the senate will want to kn the facts about White, Link, B and Holstlaw, the views of the the committee with respect to t members of the legislature:

Lee O'Neil Browne, Henry A. S John Broderick, Charles S. "Bathroom Bob" Wilson John Griffi Joe Clark, J. H. De W

In his minority report Senato entertained no question that a named, with the exception of D Griffin, were bribed to vote for M He did not mention De Wolf or C

Crawford Holds All Gu

Senator Owen described all of the givers or bribetakers with the e De Wolf. Senator Crawford nam as participants in bribery.

So the majority committee w upon to explain the reasons whi them in making the statement no facts or circumstances from w be found or legally inferred tha member or members of the se assembly (besides White, Link, B and Holstlaw) were bribed to v Lorimer."

This is what Senator Beveridge Browne, Wilson, and Broderick

"If they did receive it (the m these men, these three bribegiv guilty as the four bribetakers bribery includes the giving as we ceiving of bribes, and the briber culpable with the bribed. In m bribegivers are even more culpa bribetakers, because they wer greater influence, intelligence, a character.

"The majority report exone three accused bribegivers upon

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